

# Allies Close In On Rommel Near Tripoli

## POLES FELLED IN COUNTY BY STRONG WINDS

High winds that rose as the skies cleared Tuesday afternoon caused considerable damage to communication and power lines in this section and sent the mercury diving to 10 degrees above zero overnight from a reading of 26 degrees at 6 o'clock Tuesday evening.

The United Telephone company reported more than a score of poles down while rural companies also were busy repairing line damage caused by falling poles or trees or limbs that struck phone wires.

Most serious damage reported at any one point was caused when a 65-foot Norway spruce, standing just inside the National cemetery fence along Baltimore street, was uprooted. It crashed across the street, blocking the highway for an hour and a half and bringing down with it electric power lines, a transformer and a pole.

### Lights Out

Three state highway workmen and six National Park employees had the highway cleared in an hour and a half, but it was nearly 6 o'clock before electric service was restored. The southern section of town was affected by the break while damage to the power lines west of the Seminary buildings and on Buford avenue put street lights out of service in the northern and western parts of the town early in the evening. A light line pole was snapped off near the Seminary building.

Service along the Harrisburg road was interrupted for about an hour on Tuesday afternoon when power lines were snapped, presumably by flying limbs of trees. Poles were reported at several places to be leaning badly and in need of attention.

The United Telephone company reported 17 poles down between Gettysburg and York Springs and another half dozen were down in the Fairfield-Ortanna section.

### Ground Soft

Both telephone and light company officials said that the rains of the last few days softened the ground to such an extent that the high winds brought a greater toll among the poles than might be expected under average conditions.

Trees were blown against telephone company cable lines along Hanover street, Tuesday evening, but the condition was reported and corrected before service was interrupted.

### Traffic Blocked

Traffic along the Gettysburg-Harrisburg highway was blocked Tuesday afternoon as the wind ripped off the roof and part of the walls of a brick garage at Shepherdstown. Owned by Mrs. J. Sharon McDonald, proprietor of the Shepherdstown inn, sections of the building were blown onto the highway. Two cars in the building escaped damage.

Telegraph service at the Western Union office was disrupted Tuesday afternoon and evening by line trouble caused by the winds.

## \$43,737 BOND SALES IN FIRST WEEK OF MONTH

Almost one-third of Adams county's January quota for the sale of war bonds was subscribed in the first of this month, Edmund W. Thomas, chairman of the county committee, announced today.

The Federal Reserve district reported to Mr. Thomas that war bond sales in Adams county during the first week in January totaled \$43,737. This is almost one-third of the month's quota of \$144,000.

For the first week's sales Biglerville tops all other communities with \$17,531. This is the largest weekly sales from one community in the county in many months.

Gettysburg was second with \$6,375. Abbotstown ranked third with \$5,600 and Arendtsville was a close fourth with \$5,587. Other community sales included:

Bendersville	\$3,975
Cashtown	18
East Berlin	2,887
Fairfield	431
Gardners	225
Littlestown	5,412
McSherrystown	18
New Oxford	806
York Springs	375
Unallocated	41

If county sales continue to maintain this pace during the balance of the month the \$144,000 quota will be exceeded by a wide margin, Mr. Thomas said.

## 1032 Japs Are Killed In Five Days' Battle

Washington, Jan. 20 (AP)—Wiping out of 1,032 Japanese in five days of battling on Guadalcanal Island in the Solomons was reported today by the Navy in a communique which told also of the bombing of a Japanese cargo vessel at Shortland Island 300 miles to the northwest.

The text of the communique, No. 256:

"South Pacific: (All dates are east longitude)

"1. On January 18th, during the afternoon, a force of flying Fortress heavy bombers (Boeing B-17), with fighter escort, bombed a Japanese cargo ship which was anchored in the Shortland Island area. Two hits were scored on the vessel, which was left burning. Two enemy float-type Zeros were shot down and one of our fighters failed to return.

"2. During the period from January 13th to January 17th, inclusive, 1,032 Japanese were killed in the various actions between United States and enemy forces on Guadalcanal Island."

## COUNTY SCHOOL DIRECTORS TO MEET JAN. 29TH

"School Activities in War Time" is the theme for the fifty-second annual convention of the Adams county School Directors' association to be held Friday morning and afternoon January 29, in the Littlestown high school auditorium. A program of instruction, entertainment and business for the convention was announced today by J. Floyd Slaybaugh, county superintendent of schools.

C. William Duncan, former Gettysburg newspaperman now serving with the Federal Security Administration at Washington, D. C.; Judge W. C. Sheely; R. M. Baugher, New Oxford, president of the county board of school directors; Dr. H. C. Fetterolf, chief of agricultural education in the state department of public instruction at Harrisburg, and Dr. Raymond W. Robinson, chief of consolidation and transportation in the state department, will address the convention.

### Band Concert

The day's program opens at 9:30 o'clock with a half-hour concert by the Littlestown high school band under the direction of Paul A. Harner. The first session will convene formally at 10 o'clock with President Baugher presiding. Luther M. Lady, Butler township, will direct group singing and devotionals will be led by the Rev. Charles M. Coffelt, Highland township school director.

After the annual address of the president of the county school board, Doctor Fetterolf will address the convention on the subject "Our Agricultural Schools in the War Effort." There will be special music by a Littlestown high school quartet and then Doctor Robinson will speak on "School Transportation in War Times." A 15-minute question box period will follow.

During the morning there are meetings scheduled of the resolutions and nominating committees to prepare the reports to be presented in the afternoon.

A special dinner program will be held in the social rooms of St. John's Lutheran church from 12:30 to 1:45 o'clock with Superintendent Slaybaugh serving as the toastmaster. (Please Turn to Page 2)

## Father Of Local Man Dies In Ohio

Andrew Dietrich, 82, father of L. D. Dietrich, 40 East Lincoln avenue, died at 3 o'clock this morning at his home in Minerva, Ohio, from the effects of a heart attack suffered Tuesday.

The local man was visiting his father at the time of his death. The deceased spent several summers visiting here.

Surviving are his widow; three sons, Mr. Dietrich, East Lincoln avenue; Andrew Dietrich, Jr., Westminster, and Ensign Hugh Dietrich, Washington, D. C.; one brother, Lawrence, Minerva, and one sister, Mrs. Lois Holten, Norfolk, Virginia.

Funeral services will be held in Minerva Saturday afternoon.

## M. E. KNOUSE TO RECEIVE STATE HONORS

M. E. Knouse, Arendtsville, head of the Knouse Corporation at Peach Glen, will be honored by the West Virginia State Horticultural society as the man who "made the greatest contribution to the fruit industry in 1942—and therefore the greatest contribution to the fruit industry in West Virginia."

The honor will be conferred at a dinner of the state society to be held in connection with its annual meeting in Martinsburg on February 10. During the dinner Mr. Knouse also will be presented with a life membership in the West Virginia society.

### Active in Industry

An Associated Press dispatch from Martinsburg announces Mr. Knouse's selection in line with the society's annual custom of honoring the industry's leading figure each year. Last year C. C. Hess, New York city commission buyer, received the honor.

Besides being a fruit grower, farmer and fruit processor, Mr. Knouse has served the fruit industry as chairman of the Apple Products division of the National Canners' association which he also served as a director.

Mr. Knouse's official connections with the national groups took him to Washington frequently during the last year for conferences between representatives of the government, the canners and the growers on war problems affecting the fruit industry. At those sessions Mr. Knouse had wide contacts with all divisions of the fruit industry in the eastern states.

On the day following the dinner at Martinsburg, Mr. Knouse is listed as a speaker at the state society's annual meeting. He was a speaker at the West Virginia society's annual session last year.

Announcement of Mr. Knouse's selection for the honor by the executives of the West Virginia society was made by Carroll R. Miller, its secretary. Mr. Miller is known also in this county as secretary of Appalachian Apples, Inc.

## Here And There News Collected At Random

When the next U. S. hospital ship leaves North Africa, bound for the States, one of the patients aboard will be Miss Alice M. Ford, a Second Lieutenant in the Army Nurses' Corps, a "war casualty" . . . with a ruptured incision . . . headed home for an operation and then "back into things." Miss Ford was formerly supervisor of nurses at the Annie M. Warner hospital.

In a letter addressed to the Nurses' Aides of Adams county (Miss Ford trained the first group here) through Mrs. Henry M. Scharf, chairman of the Red Cross Committee in charge of this work, Miss Ford revealed her hospitalization in North Africa following her injury while jumping off an Army truck.

Her letter, dated December 27, 1942, follows:

Dear Nurses' Aides:

I haven't for one minute forgotten you, and your fine work. I have been so busy traveling around the world I have only done the necessary correspondence.

War is interesting, exciting and horrible. I have been fortunate enough to see it from the angles I wished to. The countries I have been in have intrigued me. One never knows what will happen next. You can see by the country I am in, why.

I am afraid I am letting everyone at home down as the next hospital ship that comes back I shall be on as a "casualty." I ruptured my incision jumping off Army trucks and leading the difficult life here. It is no picnic for the nurses. My own group are working in overalls in mud almost knee deep. Baths are almost impossible. Life is at its worst and we have many sick and wounded in this area.

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## WILL NOTIFY GAS UNIT HOLDERS OF EXPIRATION DATE

Holders of gasoline ration cards for passenger cars will be notified by post card from the local war price and rationing board of the expiration date of their cards. Upon receipt of this official notice owners may then send their car owner's card and ration books to the ration office and new books will be mailed to them.

This procedure will eliminate the custom of gas card holders driving to the board's office, or calling in person for their new cards. This will apply also to those requesting supplemental gasoline.

The board also announced today that form 537 for the renewal of non-highway gas rations has been mailed. The expiration date of these coupons is Tuesday midnight, January 21.

## TRINITY CHURCH CONGREGATION HOLDS MEETING

The annual congregational meeting of Trinity Evangelical Reformed church was held Tuesday evening at a supper served by a committee consisting of Mrs. W. P. Hull, Mrs. W. A. Snyder, Mrs. C. T. Zeigler, Mrs. Donald Myers, Mrs. Robert Deardorff, Mrs. C. I. Snyder, Mrs. Jesse Snyder, Mrs. Paul Myers and Miss Elmira Ruff. Sixty-four members of the church were present.

Church treasurer Robert Fidler reported all bills paid and a substantial balance in the treasury. The expenditures amounted to \$1,000 more than the previous year.

All of the organizations of the church reported their activities which showed them in a "healthy condition." Mrs. Guyon Buehler reported for the church school, Mrs. Donald Myers for the Fideles class, Mrs. Robert Deardorff for the Primary department and Trinity Circle, Mrs. H. D. Hoffman for the Aid Society, Mrs. Tyson Tipton for the Women's Guild, Mrs. W. P. Hull for the Ladies' Bible class, and Russell Rohrbach for the Men's Bible class.

### Elect Officers

The officers elected for the coming year include Messrs. John D. Teeter, Mervin Boyd and J. W. Kendeheart, Elders and Messrs. John Hertz, Glenn Guise and Russell Rohrbach, Deacons.

The Rev. Howard S. Fox gave his thirteenth annual report to the congregation which told of the apportionment being paid in full for the year; the gift of a chaplain's communion service by the congregation; the introduction of the new church hymnals, repairing of the church tower and roof and the painting of the church; donation of \$250 to the Hoffman Orphanage and Homewood. The Rev. and Mrs. Fox were given a rising vote of appreciation by the congregation.

The endowment fund of the church reported a gift of \$500 to be known as the Mrs. Sallie Sowers Memorial Fund.

The gift of a clergy cape and biretta by Mr. and Mrs. Radford H. Lippy by Rev. Fox was reported.

## OPA MAY CLOSE COUNTY BOARDS

Assuming supervisory control over all rationing, the Office of Price Administration at Philadelphia announced Tuesday that county rationing boards in Philadelphia and nine neighboring counties will be abolished and local rationing boards will be under direct jurisdiction of the OPA district at Philadelphia.

County boards elsewhere throughout the state will be eliminated also, it was reported.

All county boards have been stripped of the powers they formerly held of directing local boards, placing new members on them and administering the monthly tire quota and other duties.

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## Nazis Unable To Stop Reds Along Entire Battlefront

By HENRY C. CASSIDY

Moscow, Jan. 20 (AP)—The Red army pressed ahead today with mounting force on its two newest offensive fronts, toward Kharkov in the Ukraine and along the newly opened corridor to Leningrad, and the Russians declared the Germans had been unable to hold a successful defense anywhere along the battleline.

In their push southwest of Voronezh, where the Russians were within 79 miles of the big German base at Kharkov, Red Star reported a "large enemy force" encircled and said the pace of the Russian advance was increasing.

In the north the army newspaper declared that two powerfully fortified Nazi garrisons were under Russian attack—one described as the "main stronghold" in the Volkhov sector south of Leningrad, and the other on the Leningrad front. They were not otherwise identified.

60 Divisions Mauled

British military sources said in London that in the Russian offensives so far 60 German divisions had been badly mauled and 29 of their satellite divisions practically knocked out. These 89 divisions would represent some 1,335,000 men.

The Russians announced that Lieut. Gen. Filip Ivanovskh Golikov, commander of the new Voronezh front, had been promoted to colonel general.

The advance on Kharkov, stemming from the Voronezh sector, had pushed 50 miles through Valuiki, junction point of three railroads east of Kharkov, and into Urazovo. The Red army here stood directly east of the ancient Ukrainian capital often called the "Pittsburgh of the Ukraine" because of its industrial importance.

### Cut Rail Line

The occupation of Valuiki enabled the Russians to cut for the first time the rail line which runs north to Kastornoye, between Voronezh and Kursk, paralleling the main Moscow-Rostov line. The penetration to Urazovo put the Soviet army within 30 miles of Kupiansk, one of the first cities taken by the Germans in their offensive on the Kharkov front last summer.

A special communique claimed the capture of Kamensk after hard street fighting. This at once consolidated the Red army's bridgehead on the south bank of the Donets river and put a main body at a point 85 miles north of Rostov on the main Moscow-Rostov railway. Some advance guards are 10 miles nearer Rostov.

The recapture of Petrovskoe, in the northern Caucasus, was hailed as another major success in the special communique.

## REV. DR. MANGES WILL ADDRESS COLLEGE GRADS

The Rev. Dr. Lewis C. Manges, an alumnus of Gettysburg college in the class of 1897 and since 1905 pastor of Memorial Lutheran church in Harrisburg, will be the speaker at the first mid-year commencement in Gettysburg college history next Monday morning in Brua chapel.

Doctor Manges, whose five sons and one daughter, also are listed among the alumni of the college, was given the degree of doctor of divinity from his alma mater in 1921. After graduating from college here he prepared for the ministry at the Gettysburg Lutheran Theological seminary, graduating with the class of 1900.

His first pastorate was at Hummelstown but he went to Memorial church in Harrisburg in 1905 and has served there since. He filled a 10-year term as a director of the seminary here and served in the offices of both president and secretary of the East Pennsylvania Synod and as a member of the Foreign Mission Board of the United Lutheran church.

The graduating address to the class of 12 seniors will be delivered after an academic procession on the campus which is set for 11 o'clock. Diplomas will be presented by Dr. W. A. Hanson, president of the college.

## Three-Way Attack In Africa

Arrows indicate a three-way attack being pressed by the United Nations against the Axis in northern Africa: The British Eighth army pushing along the coastal area westward toward Tripoli; the French forces of Gen. Henri Honore Giraud, moving in from Algeria to come upon Axis-held territory from the south; and Allied forces in the Tunisian region, which clashed with the Axis northwest of Kairouan.



## Miners Challenge FDR; "Let The Troops Come;" Dishonorable Expulsion

Wilkes-Barre, Pa., Jan. 20 (AP)—The United Mine Workers served notice on striking anthracite miners today that they face "dishonorable expulsion forthwith" if they refuse to obey President Roosevelt's order to return to work by noon tomorrow.

The UMW executive committee of District 1, to which the unauthorized work stoppage now is confined, issued the warning as thousands of miners, increasingly resentful of what they regard as the government's unwillingness to negotiate their grievances immediately, voted to stay out.

M. J. Kosik, District 1 president, declared that "the majority of mine workers should not suffer because of the action of a small minority."

"Let the Troops Come" Angry mutterings of "let the troops come!" were heard at meetings at which strike ballots were taken.

Karl Kratz, president of one revolting United Mine Workers' local, bluntly declared: "I don't see why the government doesn't give the men the assurance that it will look into their grievances without the threat of force."

President Roosevelt served notice yesterday that the strikers must go back within 48 hours and said if the order was not obeyed the government would "take the necessary steps to protect the security of the nation against a strike doing serious damage to the war effort."

The warning was widely interpreted to mean that troops would be dispatched to take over the mines. Some spokesmen, unwilling to be

quoted by name, have said they would welcome such intervention and "the consequent government proximity to our problems." Several hundred did not vote when their locals took strike ballots last night and many expressed this sentiment.

### Lewis Defies WLB

Leaders of the 21-day wildcat walkout, now involving 12,000, had asked the War Labor Board to consider the issues—demands for a \$2 a day wage bonus and protests against a 50-cents a month dues increase—but the board ordered the controversies submitted to processes provided in their working agreements.

If such negotiations should fail, Chairman William H. Davis said, the board then would act.

The ruling was made after UMW President John L. Lewis, against whose leadership the insurgents are revolting, declared that WLB had no authority to intervene.

Lewis and other UMW leaders, as well as the WLB and other governmental agencies, have condemned the strike since it began, saying it has created a coal shortage endangering prosecution of the war.

## BIRTHDAY BALL ON JANUARY 29

Gettysburg's 1943 Birthday Party will be held Friday evening, January 29, at the Hotel Gettysburg, Mrs. Joseph E. Codori, chairman of the county committee, announced today.

The change in the date was made to avoid a conflict with previously arranged affairs, to avoid a Saturday night conflict with general business in Gettysburg and to enable many who would be prevented from attending the party on Saturday to be present Friday evening.

Mrs. Codori was in communication with several orchestras today and expects to announce her selection Thursday.

One hundred and twenty-five rural school teachers were asked to fill one "March of Dimes" card. Each card requires 20 dimes and returns from this source of revenue, in past years a sizeable amount, is expected to be considerable again this year.

Gettysburg public and parochial schools will also be asked to participate in the drive this year by again filling in "March of Dimes" cards.

Sponsor tickets will be distributed Friday or Saturday of this week. These tickets entitle one couple to admission to the party. They sell for \$5. General admission tickets are one dollar per person.

The party will start at 8:30 o'clock.

## BRITISH TAKE GUNS, VEHICLES AND PRISONERS

Cairo, Jan. 20 (AP)—The British Eighth Army closing in on Tripoli reached the crest of Nefusa Ridge today for its last down-grade sweep of less than 50 miles against the bombed and burning Libyan capital which American bombers kept blasting daily.

Two of Lieut. Gen. Sir Bernard L. Montgomery's columns were advancing upon Tarhuna and Homs, 40 and 60 miles respectively from Tripoli.

Nefusa Ridge which begins near Tarhuna is linked into a semi-circle of rugged hills guarding Tripoli from the east and south and sloping like a saucer down to the Jafra plain between Tripoli and the Tunisian frontier.

Cairo, Jan. 20 (AP)—The British Eighth Army pursuing Field Marshal Erwin Rommel's retreating Axis Army toward Tunisia closed in on Homs and Tarhuna, 56 and 40 miles respectively from Tripoli, last evening, a British communique said today.

Reports from the front said that the Eighth Army had reached the crest of the Jebel Nefusa, a series of ridges which form a wide defensive ring around the region of Tripoli.

These heights begin in the region of Tarhuna on the east and curve to the south and southwest of Tripoli to the Algerian border.

Sweeping the Axis forces northward toward Tripoli, the Eighth Army gathered prisoners, guns and vehicles as it moved forward. The northern wing of General Sir Bernard Montgomery's Army, reported at Zliten yesterday, moved forward during the day and by evening was closing in on Homs along the coastal road.

### Aerial Assaults

The southern wing, moving toward Tripoli along an inland road, was on the approaches to Tarhuna at about the same time. This wing had been reported advancing towards Tarhuna yesterday.

Allied air squadrons, operating from advanced air bases, pounded Rommel's retreating Army as it moved away from the overwhelming power of the Eighth Army.

(The Berlin radio said today that British paratroopers were being dropped behind Rommel's lines to harass communications.)

For the last 24 hours, the communique said, fighter-bombers and bombers have maintained a continuous pressure on the columns moving westward from Tarhuna.

### May By-Pass Tripoli

The fact that these Axis columns were moving westward instead of northward toward Tripoli, might indicate that the southern flank of Rommel's Army planned to by-pass Tripoli completely.

On Monday night, the airfield at Castel Benito, 13 miles south of Tripoli, was heavily attacked and large fires were started among dispersed aircraft, it was stated.

The same night a large ship was attacked by torpedo aircraft west of Sicily and "left in a sinking condition," it was reported.

Heavy bombers returned to Tripoli yesterday to attack the harbor and another formation raided the harbor at Sousse in Tunisia. These formations were engaged by Axis fighters, three of which were shot down, the communique said.

Four Allied aircraft were reported missing from these and other operations.

## CHAMBER MEETS NEXT TUESDAY

The last monthly membership meeting of the Gettysburg Chamber of Commerce for the incumbent administration will be held next Tuesday evening at the Battledieu Hotel. Members will be guests at a dinner beginning at 6:30 o'clock. Members may bring additional guests at one dollar per person.

Annual reports will be presented and the committee in charge announces an entertainment program.

### SCOUT MEETING

Notices have been issued for a meeting of Boy Scout officers of the Black Walnut district Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock in the Hotel Gettysburg.

### CALLED TO DUTY

Miss Geraldine Francis, who was commissioned a second lieutenant in the Army nurses corps, has been ordered to report for duty at the base hospital at St. Petersburg, Florida.

NAZI ALLIES  
PAY HEAVILY  
AS "STOOGES"

By GLENN BABE

The cost of Hitler's "crusade against Bolshevism" continues to fall heavily on his hapless allies. Disaster struck the Rumanians in the first stages of the Russian winter offensive. Now it is the turn of the Italians and Hungarians. The various "legions" of allied volunteers which other satellite states sent into the Russian campaign all have been punished heavily.

Any hopes that the subject states may have held when they sent their men to the eastern battlefield rapidly are giving way not merely to disappointment but to terror lest they lose not only the stakes they placed in the gamble but all the reserve of military power and political independence they managed to withhold from Hitler's grasp. Evidence of this trend comes from many quarters.

All Hope Fading

It is not meant to suggest that Hitler's allies cherished any illusions about the real nature of the crusade. They entered largely because they feared to reject the pressure of the German Fuehrer who seemed then to be all-conquering, because they hoped to propitiate him at not too great a cost and to establish a claim to some share of the spoils when he won. Sincere belief in a great cause might hold such a confederation together even in defeat, but the motives in this case do not provide a cement capable of resisting the stresses that come when the prospect of booty recedes and the losses rise to terrifying proportions, as they are doing now.

The Rumanians were the first to suffer when the tide turned along the Voiga and thus far they have been the heaviest losers. It is conservatively estimated that Rumania has sent more than 30 divisions, perhaps half a million men all told, to the eastern front. They were badly mauled at Odessa and in the Crimea, but the climax came on the approaches to Stalingrad. There, according to Russian announcements, no fewer than 16 Rumanian divisions either were routed, cut to bits or caught in that trap before Stalingrad where the ruthless annihilation of nearly 250,000 men is nearing its end. To keep Rumania in line after this blood-letting Hitler found it necessary last week to summon Marshal Antonescu to his headquarters and convince him that Rumania was in this thing to the end.

Allies Made Goats

The Red Army's new drive south and southwest from Voronezh, which now threatens to engulf Kharkov, found the Hungarians and Italians barring the way and exacted from them a toll comparable to the Rumanian disaster before Stalingrad. Of 52,000 prisoners taken in less than a week 27,500 were Hungarians and 22,000 Italians, according to Moscow's count. The Russian communiqué which announced this bag omitted the usual reference to enemy dead, suggesting that perhaps the Hungarian-Italian resistance lacked something in tenacity, that perhaps a lot of Hungarians and Italians are asking themselves what they are fighting for and not finding convincing answers.

COUNTY SCHOOL

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Dinner music will be led by Mr. Lady. Guests will be presented and there will be an after-dinner talk by Judge Sheely.

The afternoon session of the convention is set for 2 o'clock with President Baugher presiding. Nominating and resolutions committees will submit their reports and the treasurer's report will be given.

Mr. Duncan's address on "Today's Headlines and Headliners" will be followed by an hour of entertainment by the Brandt Concert company of Philadelphia. Adjournment is scheduled for 4 o'clock.

The general convention program was approved and the members of the resolutions and nominating committees were selected by the members of the county school board.

Superintendent Slaybaugh on Tuesday addressed a letter to all school directors in the county announcing the program and urging them to attend. In connection with travel problems in reaching the convention town, Mr. Slaybaugh said the following:

"In compliance with the requirements of the War and Rationing Boards in Adams county we would suggest that you fill your automobile tanks with gasoline for the trip to and from the convention a week or ten days before January 25th, so that if a freeze of the selling of gasoline should be put on, you would be able to come to the convention, which is your official duty as a school director. Furthermore, in keeping with the Office of Price Administration, we suggest that school boards should group together and come to the convention in one car wherever it is possible."

Each director that attends will be paid \$4 and mileage at the rate of four cents per mile for the distance traveled in going to and from the convention.

Social Happenings

Phone Gettysburg 640 or Biglerville 8

Mrs. Tate's class of the Methodist Sunday School held its January meeting Tuesday evening at the home of Mrs. William L. Wavell, Steinwehr avenue. Mrs. Robert Berkeimer, the newly elected president, presided and the devotional period was conducted by Mrs. Sandoe Kitzmiller. During the business session, the class renewed its annual pledge to the current expenses of the church. The following appointments were made: Mrs. Henry Garvin to have charge of the stamp books; Mrs. Frank Grindler and Mrs. Henry Albright, flower committee, and Mrs. Milton R. Remmel, publicity chairman. A social hour was held at the close of the meeting with Mrs. John Hamilton and Mrs. Frank Forrest as associate hostesses.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles D. Ott are spending two weeks with Mr. Ott's parents, Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Ott, Springs avenue.

Pet. Ivan Kitzmiller, Camp Lee, Virginia, is spending a furlough with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. R. Blaine Kitzmiller, West Middle street.

The Trinity Circle of Trinity Evangelical Reformed church will hold a supper Thursday evening, February 11, at the church. Mrs. Harry Lower is chairman of the committee on arrangements.

The Rev. Ralph R. Gresh visited Walter Fream who is a patient at the University of Philadelphia hospital, Philadelphia, on Monday.

The Bandar-Log club will meet Friday afternoon at 2 o'clock with Mrs. Richard A. Brown, Fairfield road.

Mrs. Austin Lange, who entertained the members of the Tuesday Night Bridge club this week at her home on East Lincoln avenue, had as additional guests Mrs. John P. Baxter, Mrs. Taylor Pennington and Mrs. Paul Ecker. The next meeting of the club will be held in two weeks with Mrs. John D. Lippy, Jr., Seminary avenue.

The Campus club members were entertained Tuesday afternoon at the home of Mrs. Parker Wagnild, East Lincoln avenue. Other members of the hostess committee included Mrs. Harold Beeson, Mrs. John G. Glenn, Mrs. Donald R. Heiges, Mrs. Lester O. Johnson and Mrs. William F. Quillian.

An imaginary trip to South America by airplane was the feature of the program for the January meeting of the Missionary Guild of St. James Lutheran church held Tuesday evening at the church. Highlights of each country visited were given by members of the club. The program carried out the month's topic for study, "A Fiesta with Our Southern Neighbors." Mrs. Swartz Hoke and Miss Margaret Williams were the leaders, and the president, Mrs. Ralph W. Baker, presided.

Dr. and Mrs. Charles F. Sanders, West Broadway, will leave Friday to reside at Lewistown until victory. Dr. Sanders recently accepted the position of ad interim pastor at the Lewistown Lutheran church while the pastor, the Rev. Mr. Goss, is serving as a chaplain in the United States Army.

Mrs. E. S. Lewars talked on the life of Thaddeus Stevens at a meeting of the Historical Society of Dauphin county held Monday evening in the John Harris Mansion, Harrisburg.

3 PROPOSE ON  
SAME DAY; NOW  
3 ARE MISSING

Newark, N. J., Jan. 20 (AP)—A blue-jacketed Navy seaman dashed into a telephone booth in Norfolk, Virginia.

Two of his pals made for adjoining booths, and all three put through long distance calls to New Jersey. "Hello, Mary," said Machinist's Mate Frederick Braa, "will you marry me?"

In another booth, Lloyd Sandel was asking Mildred Staley of Union to be his wife and in the third, Roy Taylor was popping the question to Doris Wilkins of Jersey City.

The sailors all got affirmative answers. Mary Elizabeth Bayard became Mrs. Braa last April and the others were married within a few days of each other in May.

Then the three husbands received their orders to report for sea duty. They shoved off in June, aboard the USS Juneau.

The three Navy wives months later received brief announcements from the Navy department the same day, telling them that their husbands were missing in action. Then the Navy announced that the Juneau had been lost. But the wives are still hopeful.

BREAK WITH AXIS

Santiago, Chile, Jan. 20 (AP)—Chile broke relations today with Germany, Italy and Japan, leaving Argentina the only American Republic maintaining diplomatic contact with the Axis. The decree was signed by President Rios after representatives of other American countries and Britain were notified of the step.

Weddings

Rife—Richter

Miss Kathryn E. Richter, Hanover, daughter of Edward Richter, Hanover R. 3, became the bride of Oscar J. Rife, also of Hanover, in a ceremony performed by the Rev. Albert E. Shenberger, pastor of St. Mary's Reformed church, Silver Run, Maryland. The single ring rites were performed in the parsonage of the church Saturday evening. The attendants were Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Kuhn, Hanover.

The bride is a niece of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. McDonnell, West Middle street.

Hoy—Mingle

Miss Jeanne Elinor Mingle and Richard Gerald Hoy were united in marriage at the parsonage of the First Methodist church, Saturday evening, at six o'clock. The Rev. Paul D. Leedy, pastor of the church, officiated at the ring ceremony. The bride, who is employed as a secretary in York, is formerly of Roaring Spring. The bridegroom is a flying cadet in the U.S. Army Air Force and is stationed at the Cross Keys flying school, near New Oxford. Mr. Hoy's home formerly was in Lock Haven.

DEATHS

Birnie A. Reinaman, 68 died at his home in Germany township, Littlestown R. 1, Monday evening at 7:15 o'clock after an illness of four weeks. He was a son of the late Joshua and Malinda Brown Reinaman.

Surviving are his wife, the former Laura Hawn; four children, Mrs. Mervin J. Harner, Cletus C. Raymond W. and Birnie W. Reinaman, all of Littlestown R. 1; seven grandchildren; two sisters and one brother, Mrs. Augustus Dayhoff, New Oxford R. D.; Mrs. John McNulty, Littlestown, and Elmer Reinaman, Littlestown.

The deceased was a member of Piney Creek Church of the Brethren, near Taneytown, Md.

Funeral services Thursday afternoon at 2 o'clock from the J. W. Little and Son funeral home, Littlestown, with Elders Silas U. Birnie Shriver and Birnie Bowers officiating. Interment in the Lutheran cemetery, Taneytown. Friends may call at the Little funeral home this evening from 7 to 9 o'clock.

George G. Gruver

George Gibson Gruver, 54, a farmer, died at 3:20 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at his home in Hamilton township, near Abbottstown. Death was caused by thrombosis, resulting from the effects of a broken right leg suffered eight weeks ago in a fall from the straw mow to the floor of the barn on his farm.

Mr. Gruver was a son of the late Allowee and Clara Reibman Gruver and prior to moving to his late residence, he lived in Paradise township, York county.

Surviving are his widow, Mrs. Esther Trimmer Gruver; two children, Mrs. Emory L. Staub, Thomasville R. 1, and Oscar Gruver, at home; three grandchildren and these brothers and sisters: Charles and Robert Gruver and Mrs. Maurice Shue, York; Oscar D. Gruver, Thomasville R. D.; Mrs. Harry Neiman, Dover, and Mrs. Fred Wagner, Detroit.

Funeral services will be held at the funeral home of Harry Emig and son, East Berlin, Friday morning at 10 o'clock. Interment will be made in Mummet's Meeting House cemetery, near East Berlin.

College News Staff  
To Dine On Monday

Members of the retiring and incoming staffs of "The Gettysburgian," Gettysburg college weekly, and guests will hold their annual banquet Monday evening, January 25, at the Hotel Gettysburg. Dr. Henry W. A. Hanson, president of Gettysburg college, will deliver the main address of the evening and Robert A. Brent, retiring editor-in-chief, will act as toastmaster.

Faculty guests will include Dr. Hanson, Dean W. E. Tilberg, Prof. C. E. Bilheimer, Henry T. Bream, Dr. Thomas L. Cline, Dr. Rasmus S. Saby, Prof. C. Paul Cessna, Prof. Donald R. Heiges, Prof. George R. Larkin and Prof. Harold Beeson. Senior members of "The Gettysburgian" will also be guests of the paper.

Husband And Wife  
Enlist Same Time

Mr. and Mrs. Jack Myles, Ely Nevada, brother-in-law and sister of Mrs. Glenn L. Bream, West Broadway, are among the first couples in Nevada to enlist simultaneously in the armed forces.

Mrs. Myles, formerly Miss Bernice White, has joined the WAACs while her husband has enlisted in the Naval Reserve. Mr. Myles is a former city editor of the Ely Daily Times.

BIRTH ANNOUNCEMENT

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Williams, South Stratton street, announce the birth of a daughter at the Warner hospital Tuesday evening.

MAY CONVERT  
STATE SCHOOL  
FOR AVIATION

Harrisburg, Jan. 20 (AP)—Senator Elmer J. Holland (D-Allegheny) drew up a bill today calling for conversion of one of the state teacher colleges into "the Pennsylvania State Technical School of Aeronautics."

Holland's measure, which he expected to submit to the Senate late today, calls for the appointment, within one month of its passage, of a committee of three members who will select the college to be taken over.

One committee member would be named by Governor Martin, one by the President pro tempore of the Senate, Charles H. Ealy (R-Somerset) and the third by the speaker of the House of Representatives, Ira T. Fiss (R-Snyder). All members, the bill specifies, would be persons familiar with the airplane industry.

Nine Trustees  
The bill sets a deadline of July 1, 1943, for the committee to report to the Governor its selection of a school, to estimate expenses involved and to submit a general plan of conversion.

After the selection, the Department of Property and Supplies "shall proceed with the necessary alterations, construction and equipment within the shortest possible time," the bill states.

The school would be operated by a board of nine trustees experienced in airplane manufacture. The Department of Public Instruction would have supervisory power over the board.

The state's 14 teachers' colleges are located at Bloomsburg, California, Cheyney, Clarion, East Stroudsburg, Edinboro, Indiana, Kutztown, Lock Haven, Mansfield, Millersville, Shippensburg, Slippery Rock and West Chester. They have approximately 9,000 students.

THOMAS WILEY  
PROGRAM HELD

Approximately 40 members attended the Thomas Wiley birthday anniversary program which followed the regular meeting of the Gettys lodge, No. 124, IOOF, Tuesday evening. Past Grand E. H. Menges presided.

The meeting opened with prayer by J. Frank Dougherty and was followed by a poem by Joseph H. Burroughs which was read by J. E. Snyder.

Mr. Dougherty was the principal speaker and he used as his subject, "Odd Fellowship—Its Origin, Its Growth and Its Responsibilities." He gave a brief resume of the founding of the order in Baltimore by Thomas Wiley on April 19, 1826. Mr. Dougherty told of the kindnesses rendered by the local lodge to widows of deceased members.

A letter from a member of the lodge now serving with the armed forces in Australia was read in which appreciation was expressed for the Christmas remembrance from the lodge.

Out-of-town visitors attending were E. W. Wright, York Springs lodge No. 211, and C. D. Bream, Montana lodge No. 653, Bendersville.

SET UP CENTERS  
TO COLLECT SILK

Six collection centers for receiving discarded silk and nylon hosiery have been set up in the Gettysburg business district by the local salvage committee for the convenience of local housewives, it was announced today.

The centers are located at the Harris Brothers' store, the YWCA building, Sherman's clothing store, York street; Coffman and Fisher and Dougherty and Hartley stores on center square, and Murphy's store on Baltimore street.

Collection of the discarded hosiery gathered at the various centers will be made January 29 and on the last Friday of each month thereafter.

Announcement will be made soon of the location of centers for the collection of tin cans here.

County Bankers  
To Meet Tonight

Adams county bankers at their January meeting this evening at the Battleford hotel will discuss interest rates on loans and deposits and the question of service charges with the purpose of reaching a uniform schedule throughout the county.

President Lloyd W. Kuhn, Bendersville National bank, will preside over the session which is set for 6:30 o'clock.

HOSPITAL REPORT

Mrs. Luthal Baltzley, Gettysburg R. D.; Francis Kane, Guernsey, and Mrs. Frank Williams, South Stratton street, have been admitted as patients to the Warner hospital. John D. Wolf, Gettysburg; Mrs. Victory Kelly and infant daughter; Barbara Ann, Emmitsburg, and Mrs. Bernard Stoner and infant son, Bernard Patrick, have been discharged.

Upper Communities

Mr. and Mrs. Carl Erickson and children, Beatrice, Eugene and Maxine, have returned from Lemoine where they spent several days and attended the funeral of Mr. Erickson's mother at Allport.

Ensign and Mrs. Jack Yohe have concluded a visit of a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Willis H. Lady, of Biglerville.

Members of the Biglerville Defense system met Monday evening at the high school building where plans were outlined for future work and announcement was made that a class in first aid would be organized here in the near future by John R. Fidler, chairman of that branch of the system. It was also announced that two members from the local organization will go to Gettysburg to enroll in a class which will be opened for the instruction of representatives from the various departments of the systems in the county boroughs. Choice of the two members will be announced later. They in return will instruct classes in the borough. This method of handling the courses of instruction has been made necessary because of the transportation difficulties. The same method for handling the situation will be used in each of the county towns.

J. Hoke Slaybaugh presided at the meeting Monday night at which Prof. L. V. Stock was the speaker. Almost all members of the organization were present.

First Lieut. Wallace Coddington, Camp Shelby, Mississippi, is on a ten days' leave, part of which he expects to spend with his mother, Mrs. Allan B. Coddington, of Martinsville, Virginia. Lieut. Coddington, who is a graduate of the Biglerville high school, received his commission as a first lieutenant in September.

Dr. and Mrs. B. C. Jones, of Bendersville, have received word that their son, Lieut. Paul Jones, has arrived at an unannounced destination.

Any persons having worn out silk or nylon stockings are requested to leave them at the home of Mrs. M. T. Dill or Mrs. Richard C. Walton in Biglerville. The request for the stockings comes from the National Defense organization. The Trilogy club is sponsoring the Biglerville collection.

Miss Dorothy Sternat, who is a student at Susquehanna university, Selinsgrove, returned to school Tuesday after spending a mid-term recess with her parents, the Rev. and Mrs. Henry W. Sternat, of Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. David Thomas and daughters, Jean and Joan, of Baltimore, were week-end guests of Mrs. Thomas's brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Lester Warner, of Biglerville.

Mr. and Mrs. Robert Trimble, of Lancaster, have returned home after spending a week with Mr. Trimble's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Trimble, Heidlersburg road.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad Guise, Biglerville R. 1, entertained at dinner Saturday evening. Out-of-county guests included Mr. and Mrs. Harry Guise and children, Billy and Florence, and Nevin Guise, of York.

Dean Fink, USN, of New York city, spent the week-end at his home in Biglerville.

Mrs. Bertha McCarty, of Carlisle, spent the week-end with her brother-in-law and sister, Mr. and Mrs. Donald Garretson, of Aspers.

Donald Tyson, Gardners R. D., is on a business trip to Bellefonte.

Mr. and Mrs. Granville Grubbs have moved from the property of Miss Clara Myers on Second street, Biglerville, to one on South Main street owned by Charles Pensyl.

At its regular meeting Tuesday evening held at the Biglerville high school the Upper County Lions club voted to continue its meetings regularly during the gasoline shortage period since a high percentage of its members are able to attend the meetings in Biglerville without using cars. The president, Lloyd Kuhn, presided at the meeting. Another matter brought up for discussion was the Boy Scout troop's need for funds. Ways and means for raising the money were discussed and tentative plans outlined. The dinner was served by the Home Economics departments of the school.

W. Clayton Jester, of Biglerville, is in northern Pennsylvania on business this week.

Donald Shetter returned today to Columbia, South Carolina, after spending a vacation with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Shetter, of Biglerville.

Mrs. E. A. Meyer and Mrs. Richard C. Walton, of Biglerville, spent the day in Harrisburg.

Charles Fidler butchered a hog weighing 610 pounds for G. Harold Peters, of Flora Dale, this week.

The Pathfinder class of St. Paul's Lutheran Sunday School, Biglerville,

Stage Daylight  
Raid On London

London, Jan. 20 (AP)—Bombs were dropped in at least two districts of London today and at other points south of the city in the first daylight attack on the British capital in three months.

Raiders skimmed the rooftops while others dodged anti-aircraft bursts in cloud cover high overhead. The attack began shortly after noon and the all clear was sounded a short time later.

One plane—believed to be a fighter-bomber—was reported shot down. The German planes were reported engaged by British fighters.

U.S. SUBS SINK  
5 ENEMY SHIPS

Washington, Jan. 20 (AP)—The Navy announced Tuesday that American submarines had sunk an enemy destroyer and four other ships—two cargo, one transport and a patrol vessel—in the Pacific.

Navy communique Number 255, said:

"Pacific and Far East:  
"1. United States submarines have reported the following results of operations against the enemy in the waters of these areas:

- "(A) One destroyer sunk.
- "(B) One large cargo ship sunk.
- "(C) One medium-sized transport sunk.
- "(D) One medium-sized cargo ship sunk.
- "(E) One small patrol vessel sunk.
- "(F) One large tanker damaged.
- "(G) One small cargo ship damaged.

"2. These actions have not been announced in any previous Navy department communique."

MARRIAGE LICENSE

A marriage license was issued at the court house today to Sgt. Clarence Edward Kitzmiller, Camp Blanding, Fla., son of Mr. and Mrs. R. Blaine Kitzmiller, West Middle street, and Miss Mildred Ellen Daugherty, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Edward J. Daugherty, East Middle street.

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EX-FILM STAR  
JAILED AFTER  
ATTACK BY GUN

San Francisco, Jan. 20 (AP)—Soft-eyed Madge Bellamy of the silent films today found herself the central figure in a real-life melodrama of gunfire and a broken heart reeled off before a goggle-eyed audience of two behind the swanky Pacific Union club on Nob hill.

Trembling a bit and sniffing into a handkerchief, she admitted, Police Inspector Frank Lucey said that she fired three shots last night at A. Stanwood Murphy, socially prominent lumber company executive with whom she had been going for years. A felony charge of assault with a deadly weapon was filed against the actress.

She was enraged, she said, because Murphy had married another, the other being June Alma, New York model, to whom he was wed in Baltimore recently. Inspector Lucey said Miss Bellamy gave him this account of her activities prior to the shooting.

Two-Day Wait

Carrying a little pistol that "has been in the family for years," Miss Bellamy came to San Francisco last Sunday knowing that Murphy and his wife would be returning to make their home.

She waited two days, and then she saw a bunch of lilies in the window of the Murphy apartment, indicating the bride and groom were home.

The former film star located Murphy at his club and waited for him to emerge from the rear exit. Three shots ricocheted around the classic brownstone mansion as Murphy approached his car, missing him by a matter of yards.

Weekly Surrenders

Miss Bellamy then surrendered meekly to one of two startled bystanders. At the city prison she was booked under her real name, Margaret Philpot, and gave her age as 35.

She was lodged in jail while her attorney, Jake Ehrlich, sought her release on bail.

Miss Bellamy said she had met Murphy at Palm Springs, Calif., about five years ago when they both were seeking divorces, and fell in love with him a year later.

# Several All-America Court Stars In Lineup Of Aberdeen Proving Grounds Quint

## BOMBERS WILL BE CLASSY FOE FOR BULLET 5

A star-studded lineup containing several of the greatest collegiate basketball stars of the last several years will take the floor for the Aberdeen Proving Grounds "Bombers" here Saturday evening to oppose the Gettysburg college courtmen. The game will get underway at 8 o'clock.

Hailed as one of the strongest service teams in competition this season, the Bombers have won 11 victories in 15 starts and number among their victims such teams as LaSalle, University of Pennsylvania, Delaware, Swarthmore and Washington college.

Early in the season the soldiers lost a one-point decision after two extra periods to the Wilmington Bombers, champions of the American Professional basketball league. Wilmington's charter has since been transferred to Camden. Last November Aberdeen participated in the service team's tournament at Madison Square Garden and lost out 40-38 in the finals to the powerful Gruman A. C. aggregation.

**Starting Lineup**  
The starting lineup for the Bombers is expected to include Louis Romano and Abe Novak, forwards; Ben Scharnus, center, and Angelo Musi and Morris Becker, guards.

Corporal Romano is a graduate of Glenville State Teachers' college in 1941 and that same year was selected by Chuck Taylor, sports-writer, on his "Little All-America." PFC Novak played with the Ohrbach quintet of the New York Industrial League for the New York Invitational tournament in 1941. Novak played with the New York Jewels last year.

Corporal Scharnus graduated from Seton Hall in 1942, where he received several all-America mentions. He formerly played with the Detroit Clowns.

Perhaps the best known player to local fans is Private Musi who graduated from Temple last year after starting at forward for three seasons. He was all-Pennsylvania forward for two years and received honorable mention on Pic's All-America.

**Ex-Duke Ace**  
Rounding out the starting lineup will be Corporal Moe Becker. Becker graduated from Duquesne in 1941 after three years as a regular. He received the high honor of being invited to play with the College All-Stars against the Oshkosh Professional team in Chicago in 1941. Becker received All-America honors in 1939 and was voted the outstanding player to appear in Madison Square Garden that year.

Others members of the squad who are scheduled to come here are: Corporal Irving Tannebaum, selected all-Maryland forward at Johns Hopkins in 1942; Sergeant James K. Power, a former semi-pro star in Pittsburgh; PFC John H. Lukas-zuk, ex-St. John's university luminary and a member of the McCadden Lyceum semi-pro outfit of Brooklyn, and Private Roscoe Sams, of Eastern Teachers' college.

**May Miss Game**  
It is not certain if Marty Passaglia, All-Coast star for two years while attending Santa Clara, will accompany the squad here.

Lt. Herbert Covington, former Davidson college coach, is piloting the team. The squad is managed by Sergeant John F. Gallery.

## Warmerdam To Seek 16-Foot Mark Soon

San Francisco, Jan. 20 (AP)—Cornelius Warmerdam, 27-year-old high school teacher who holds the unofficial world pole vault record of 15 feet 7 1/2 inches, hopes to clear 16 feet at the Millrose games in New York February 6.

"I'm using a new pole—not a longer one, just a stronger one with more snap to it. I don't know what will happen, but we'll see."

He said he's also trying a higher grip.

The old pole carried him 8 1/2 inches higher than any other vaulter in the world, but "I won't even take it with me this time."

## Fights Last Night

(By The Associated Press)  
Hartford, Conn.—Willie Pep, 129, Hartford, fought Billy Speary, 130, Nanticoke, Pa., (10). (Non-title).

New Bedford, Mass.—Tony Costa, 127, Woonsocket, R. I., outpointed Davey Crawford, 124, New York, (10).

Buffalo, N. Y.—Bobby McQuillan, 135, Lackawanna, Pa., outpointed Joe Genovese, 139 1/2, New York (8).

New York—Lizzy Janazzo, 151, New York, and Andre Gomez, 156, Havana, Cuba, draw, (10).

Jersey City—Cannonball Gibson, 119, New York, outpointed Carlos Cuebas, 122, Puerto Rico, (8).

The greatest ocean race was sailed in 1905 when 11 large yachts raced from Sandy Hook, New Jersey, to Land's End, England.

## Injured Bullet



The Gettysburg college basketball hopes suffered a severe jolt when Coach "Hen" Bream revealed today that George Dracha, stellar back-court man will likely see little or no action in the important Aberdeen Proving Grounds game as a result of an injury sustained in the encounter with Navy last week. Dracha, a junior from Reading, has been one of the mainstays of the Battlefield lineup.

## SPORTS ROUNDUP

By HUGH FULLERTON, JR.

New York, Jan. 20 (AP)—The other day Morris Siegel, a sports writer before he became a sailor, wrote a column for the Norfolk "Seabag" Naval Training Station paper. . . . It was headed, "We want baseball," and since Siegel ought to know what his shipmates think, we'll give you a few samples of what he has to say. . . . "We feel that professional baseball is as legitimate as any other business and is more necessary than a lot which are operating today under the guise of being 'essential to the war effort.' . . . Baseball is part of America, part of what we're fighting for today. . . . How would we regard a big, strapping outfielder at a ball park when some of us thought he should be in a defense plant? Well, if he struck out, we wouldn't think so much of him, but if he hit a home run he'd be 'good people' in our book. . . . We don't recommend the deferment of men to play baseball. Simply give the fellows who are trying to provide for a little wholesome recreation a bit of encouragement."

### NO PARKING

A busload of Detroiters had a surprise the other day all because bowler Andy Varipapa, who had been conducting a pinspilling school there, happened to be walking along Woodward avenue. . . . As the bus drew up to Varipapa, the driver brought it to a sudden halt, in the middle of the block and opened the door. . . . "Hi, Andy," he shouted. "I've got my average up twelve pins since you changed me from three to four steps."

### ONE-MINUTE SPORTS PAGE

Producers of the show, "This Is the Army" are after Sgt. Joe Louis to appear in the movie version. . . . and Dick Richardson, the Georgia sub who had that date with actress Betty Grable, may be offered a picture contract as a result. . . . Baseballers Peeewe Reese, Dixie Walker and Max Macon are working together in a Louisville defense plant. . . . When Benny Leonard invites the big-time fighters out to Hoffman's island, where he is a physical instructor in the Maritime service, he won't let them get away with merely taking a bow. They have to box a couple of rounds against one of Benny's kids—and they're tickled to get the chance.

### TODAY'S GUEST STAR

Walter Haight, Washington Post: "Is it true that the Philadelphia pro football fans still sing 'Deep in the Heart of Texas' but they don't clap any more since Sammy Baugh failed to show up?"

### SERVICE DEPT.

Lieut. Jesse Hill, former Yankee outfielder, is going from the St. Mary's Calif., Navy Pre-Flight school to the new Del Monte school in the general shuffling of officers. . . . Joe Knight, former southern lightweight champion who is boxing instructor at the Bainbridge, Ga., Army Air Field, has found so many pupils among the cadets that he's planning a post tournament. . . . Word from north Africa is that Jimmy Dunn, former Western Maryland footballer and Northeastern U. coach, has been promoted to captain in the Army. . . . And from Australia golfer Frankie Strafaci, now a sergeant, says his low scores aren't too surprising. "Out here you have to be straight," he explains. "I played eight rounds with only one ball in my possession. A slice or a hook means the ball is gone; that's how high the rough is in this 'tiger country.'"

## BAUGH CLEARED ON FAILURE TO PLAY IN GAME

Chicago, Jan. 20 (AP)—Elmer Layden, commissioner of the National Football league, said today the case of Sammy Baugh, "charged with wilful failure to attend and participate" in a benefit game at Philadelphia December 27 between his Washington Redskins teammates and a league all star squad, had been "dropped for want of evidence in substantiation."

"Investigation has proved conclusively," Layden declared in a statement, "that Baugh did intend to play," that "he was sick at the time he was originally scheduled to leave his Rotan, Texas, ranch," and that transportation difficulties thwarted his efforts to reach Philadelphia the day before the game.

There was "no alternative," Layden said, "except to find Baugh not guilty of any violation of good faith or of any disregard for his obligation to the public, the league and to his fellow players. . . . the publicity and subsequent investigation attendant upon Baugh's failure to appear is deemed sufficient punishment under the circumstances."

**Careless**  
"At most," the statement added, "Baugh may have been careless in delegating the duty of notifying club officials of his inability to leave on December 26, as originally scheduled, to player Dick Todd of Washington, who presumed his cancellation of Baugh's plane reservations would serve as notification to club officials."

The absence of Baugh, star passer and punter of the champion Redskins, created a furore and was further complicated because a hotel register mixup had led officials to believe he was in town until he failed to report for practice. Francis calls followed in an effort to get Baugh to appear even if illness would prevent his playing, but Baugh was unable to obtain transportation.

The game, proceeds from which went to the United Seamen's service, was won by the all star, 17-14.

At the time of the incident, Baugh himself was quoted as saying: "I never have run out on a football game and I didn't do it in the game at Philadelphia. . . . I wired Ray Flaherty, Washington coach, that I had been ill and couldn't play. Jack Espey, team manager, called back and told me I didn't have to play but to come anyway."

Baugh said he then made every effort to get to Philadelphia, but finally had to give it up.

## Willie Pep Takes 58th Straight Win

Hartford, Conn., Jan. 20 (AP)—Little Willie Pep, featherweight champion in New York state and in the hearts of his Hartford townsmen, put on a show for them last night in winning every one of the ten rounds and the non-title decision over Billy Speary of Nanticoke, Pa.

The fight was his first in his home town since he snatched the New York crown from Chalky Wright last November. And it was also his 58th straight win.

Referee John Clune of Waterbury gave every round to Pep, totaling 50 points for the Hartford boy and 35 for Speary. Pep shone in occasional flurries against his experienced opponent, one of his best.

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## Ski Club Cancels Meet Due To War

Chicago, Jan. 20 (AP)—For the first time since 1905, the annual Norge Ski club meet, which drew the country's top riders, will not be held—because of the war. The event was scheduled for Sunday.

Many ranking skiers are in the armed forces. Gasoline rationing also was taken into consideration—as the meet is staged in suburban Cary, about 40 miles from Chicago.

## Basketball Scores

### HIGH SCHOOL

(By The Associated Press)  
York, 42; Steelton, 33.  
Carlisle, 34; Harrisburg Catholic, 27.

Easton, 46; Pottsville, 41 (overtime).

Shippensburg, 35; Chambersburg, 23.

Lower Paxton, 31; New Cumberland, 28.

Camp Hill, 36; Lemoyne, 24.

Allentown, 58; Tamaqua, 50.

Bethlehem, 60; Hazleton, 30.

Newport Twp., 47; Nanticoke, 24.

Berwick, 48; Wilkes-Barre Meyers, 38.

Thousands of persons attended

## Resigns As Club Swim Instructor

Pittsburgh, Jan. 20 (AP)—Jack Scarry resigned yesterday as swimming instructor and physical director of the Homestead Carnegie Library club, a post he had held 22 years.

Scarry coached swimming teams that won indoor and outdoor national championships four years in succession and molded individual champions who included Lenore Kight, Josephine McKim, Susan Laird, Anna Mae Gorman and Al Patnik.

The director gave no reason for his resignation. The club has been curtailing its activities since the war.

## ARENDTSTVILLE TAKES 2 FROM LITTLESTOWN

Arendtville high school's unbeaten boys' basketball team took its fifth straight victory Tuesday evening by defeating Littlestown in a hard fought county league game at Arendtville 22-13.

Close guarding marked the play throughout, each team scoring five points in the second half. Coach Charley Smith's lads got off to an 8-5 lead in the first quarter and led throughout. P. Fissel and Arbogast took the scoring honors for their respective teams.

Led by Taylor who tallied 21 points, the Arendtville girls captured their third straight victory by downing the Littlestown sextet in the preliminary game 44-31. Miller aided the apple-pickers' cause with 18 tallies. S. Keefer paced Littlestown with six goals and a trio of fouls.

Arendtville will entertain New Oxford high at Arendtville Friday evening while Littlestown will be host to Fairfield high.

**The box scores:**  
**Arendtville**  
Baltzley, f. 0 1-3 1  
R. Slaybaugh, f. 0 0-0 0  
B. Allison, f. 1 1-3 3  
Bolton, f. 0 1-1 1  
P. Fissel, c. 3 2-3 8  
G. Fissel, c. 0 0-0 0  
G. Slaybaugh, g. 0 2-3 2  
Guise, g. 0 0-0 0  
R. Allison, g. 3 1-1 7  
Andrew, g. 0 0-0 0  
**Totals** 7 8-14 22

**Littlestown**  
Arbogast, f. 3 1-2 7  
Z. Horner, f. 0 0-0 0  
Strine, f. 0 0-0 0  
Trostle, f. 0 0-0 0  
Snyder, f. 0 0-0 0  
Cromer, c. 0 1-1 1  
Baugh, c. 0 0-0 0  
A. Horner, g. 1 1-1 3  
Mehring, g. 0 0-0 0  
Strayer, g. 0 2-3 2  
**Totals** 4 5-7 13

**Score by periods:**  
Arendtville 8 9 4 1-22  
Littlestown 5 3 0 5-13  
Referee, Buehler. Scorer, Halbrick. Timer, Bosserman.

### GIRLS' GAME

**Arendtville**  
Shindeldecker, f. 2 1-1 5  
Taylor, f. 10 1-2 21  
Miller, f. 8 2-3 18  
Knouse, g. 0 0-0 0  
D. Taylor, g. 0 0-0 0  
Currens, g. 0 0-0 0  
Spence, g. 0 0-0 0  
Thomas, g. 0 0-0 0  
E. Taylor, g. 0 0-0 0  
Kunkle, g. 0 0-0 0  
**Totals** 20 4-6 44

**Littlestown**  
S. Keefer, f. 6 3-4 15  
B. Keefer, f. 3 2-3 8  
E. Sontz, f. 3 2-2 8  
Bollas, f. 0 0-0 0  
L. Sontz, g. 0 0-0 0  
Hafe, g. 0 0-0 0  
Eckert, g. 0 0-0 0  
Shanebrook, g. 0 0-0 0  
**Totals** 12 7-9 31

**Score by periods:**  
Arendtville 8 10 17 9-44  
Littlestown 5 8 9 9-31  
Referee, R. Kane. Scorer, White. Timer, Hiltbrick.

## West York Noses Out Delone 30-29

Delone Catholic high lost its fifth basketball game in nine starts Tuesday evening when West York high nosed out the Squires in a nip and tuck battle at West York 30-29.

Coach Dracha's cagers will meet the Gettysburg high Maroons here Friday evening.

The ball, held in the Zembo Mosque last night. Among them were the Governor and Mrs. Martin, his son, Captain Edward S. Martin, and son-in-law and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. James B. W. Murphy.

An impressive ceremony by members of the Pennsylvania Reserve Defense Corps, taking the place of the Governor's troop now in the armed forces, opened the event as the governor and his party entered.

## BOXING SKILL HELPS MARINES IN JUNGLE WAR

By SID FEDER

New York, Jan. 20 (AP)—The difference between a boxing glove and a bayonet is apparent even to the most casual observer, but take it from Col. Harvey Miller, the Marines who know their beak-busting have found it an especially healthy habit in places like Guadalcanal and Buna or Gona.

The boys are "learning like never before," says Colonel Miller, that a practical knowledge of boxing is important, and the reason is simple: "In the ring, the correct side-step means only the difference between scoring a knock-down or being knocked down. In the jungle, the same side-step instinctively performed—without boxing gloves but plus bayonets—may mean the difference between life and death. That's a big difference."

**No Loser's End**  
"There's no loser's end in the jungle league," Colonel Miller adds. "The motto is 'kill or be killed.'"

Colonel Miller is more widely known as Heinie Miller, the permanent secretary and former president of the National Boxing association, a fight fan from "way back."

Writing from Marine headquarters in Washington, Miller suggests boxing give up such intra-mural merry-go-rounds as the current lightweight muddle.

Calling for boxing to recognize its duty and concentrate on encouraging and teaching youngsters the sport as a means of self-defense in the "jungle hand-to-hand league," Miller contends that a state commission has no more license to give away a world championship "than the Arizona legislature has to give away the statue of liberty."

"Unity of purpose is most essential to boxing now," he writes, "because it has suddenly become big enough to be very important in national defense."

## FRANKLIN TWP. DROPS 2 TILTS

The Franklin Township consolidated school basketball teams lost their first game of the season Tuesday evening by dropping a double-header to the Arendtville freshmen at Arendtville.

Getting off to a 15-3 lead in the first period, the Arendtville boys staved off a strong rally by Franklin township in the second half to win 30-21. Bolton, who tabbed 11 points in the first period, led the victors with 16 points.

The Arendtville girls won a hotly contested game in the preliminary affair 25-26, the outcome being in doubt until the final whistle. At half time Arendtville led 15-12.

The same teams will play at Cash-ton next Tuesday.

**The box scores:**  
**Franklin Twp.**  
Deardorff, f. 0 0-2 0  
Fissel, f. 0 0-0 0  
Hershey, f. 0 0-1 0  
Cole, c. 0 0-1 0  
McDannell, c. 0 0-0 0  
Spence, g. 6 0-1 12  
Keys, g. 2 1-3 5  
Allison, g. 2 0-0 4  
**Totals** 10 1-8 21

**Arendtville**  
Oyler, f. 0 0-0 0  
Hartzell, f. 1 0-0 2  
Bolton, f. 7 2-3 16  
Lady, c. 0 1-1 1  
Keller, g. 0 0-0 0  
Slaybaugh, g. 0 0-0 0  
Guise, g. 5 1-4 11  
**Totals** 13 4-8 30

**Score by periods:**  
Franklin Twp. 3 2 10 6-21  
Arendtville 15 7 4 4-30  
Referees, Baltzley and Slaybaugh. Scorer, H. Bream. Timer, Fissel.

### GIRLS' GAME

**Franklin Twp.**  
Mickley, f. 10 0-1 20  
Kepner, f. 3 0-1 6  
Bernizer, c. 0 0-2 0  
Lentz, g. 0 0-0 0  
Shindeldecker, g. 0 0-0 0  
Rinehart, g. 0 0-0 0  
**Totals** 13 0-4 26

**Arendtville**  
Diveley, f. 3 2-3 8  
Wiernan, f. 8 0-3 16  
B. Taylor, c. 2 0-2 4  
Pitzer, c. 0 0-0 0  
Knouse, g. 0 0-0 0  
Tate, g. 0 0-0 0  
Hall, g. 0 0-0 0  
Kane, g. 0 0-0 0  
**Totals** 13 2-8 28

**Score by periods:**  
Franklin Twp. 4 8 6 8-26  
Arendtville 8 7 3 10-28  
Referees, Baltzley and Allison. Scorer, McCauslin. Timer, Bream.

## Storage of Household Goods

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## Nurse And Patient In Algeria



Nurse Margaret Bachoka of Perth Amboy, N. J., washes the face of Sgt. Ian Machean of Buffalo, N. Y., in the receiving dispensary of an evacuation hospital somewhere in Algeria.

## Waner And Cooney Not For A's—Mack

Philadelphia, Jan. 20 (AP)—Connie Mack, whose American league Athletics have had plenty of wartime manpower problems, had this cautious comment to make about the Boston Braves' release of Paul Waner and John Cooney, two of the National league's oldest outfielders: "Some of us may need men like them before the approaching war season is over. Right now I can't see where they can fit in with the Athletics. I expect to have plenty of outfielders around, but one can't be sure."

## WAR LEADER OF JAPAN ILL

New York, Jan. 20 (AP)—The Office of War Information said the Tokyo radio broadcast a report today that Premier Hideki Tojo is ill, and that the 81st diet would be recessed until Jan. 27.

The broadcast was recorded by the Federal Communications commission as it was relayed by the Harbin, Manchukuo, station at 6 a. m. the OWI said.

The diet has been in New Year recess since Dec. 27 but was scheduled to reconvene tomorrow.

On tomorrow's program were several speeches by cabinet ministers outlining the empire's war policies, domestic and foreign. Tojo was to have delivered two addresses, one as premier and the other as war minister. A review of foreign affairs by Foreign Minister Masayuki Tamai also was on the program.

The day on which the diet reconvenes after the new year usually is the most important in the session and a postponement for any cause is most unusual.

The OWI said the broadcasts were intended for the Japanese public, rather than foreign listeners. It suggested that "the recessing of the imperial diet may have been the real purpose behind the report since recently Tojo has been assuming more and more dictatorial powers."

The OWI said it was interesting to note that on Jan. 15 the Japanese put out an English language broadcast boasting of Tojo's health.

The English legal definition of a witch is "a person who hath conference with the Devil to consult with him or to do some act."

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## FAIR GROUNDS SHOWS PROFIT

New Orleans, La., Jan. 20 (AP)—The sport and business of horse racing, like virtually everything else in this roaring, romantic old town, is thriving on a war-time diet. The fair grounds meeting, scheduled for 75 days, is just past the halfway mark and shows average daily wagering practically double that of last winter, while paid attendance has increased about 1,000 a day.

A group of well known members of the turf set took over and revived Crescent City racing last winter and, after a game struggle through a river of red ink, somehow pulled through. It now is reported the fair ground can make ends meet very nicely on an average daily pay of \$100,000.

The first 38 days, or through Saturday, brought total wagering of \$4,317,811, an average of \$113,626. Last winter, the 44-day meeting saw \$2,625,424 being bet, or only \$59,668 daily. Average daily paid attendance this season to date is close to 3,000. It was less than 2,000 last winter.

The blackout of Florida racing resulted in several "name" horses being shipped here.

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## An Evening Thought

The learned understand the reason of the art, the unlearned feel the pleasure.—Quintilian.

## Just Folks

By Edgar A. Guest

## THE PASSAGE OF TIME

The month of January goes.  
Brief February waits to follow.  
'Tis winter and the drifted snows  
Lie deep in every nook and hollow.

The young think springtime far away  
The old are wise and know much better.  
'Twill swifter come," they sadly say,  
'Than will some long awaited letter."

April upon the heels of March  
Treads now to green the earth  
And bring to leaf the elm and larch  
And set the tulip buds to flowering.

"So long the time till school is out,"  
Wall children, whether dull or clever,  
But graybeards know beyond a doubt  
The months fly faster by than ever.

Now though 'tis January still  
And wildly blizzards blow upon us  
We know it won't be long until  
Another Christmas season's on us.

## Today's Talk

By George Matthew Adams

## THE HARMONY OF USE

Our very clothes cling to us, and help to emphasize our personality the longer they are worn. New things need use to make them of the utmost in efficiency. The old violin, under the mastery of an artist, gives forth sweeter and more melodious tones the longer it is played. The very vibrations of sound enter into the fibres of the wood.

I watched a lady knitting in a subway on my way to work, and it seemed wonderful the way her hands and fingers harmoniously worked their way. She didn't look at her work but occasionally—but I never noted a single slip, and the pattern kept getting toward its completion.

The longer anything is used, the more it represents harmony of movement. The comfortable chair gains a silent note of welcome. Many great manufacturing plants have music going on during the work hours of their thousands of employees. They have learned that people work better when there is harmony added.

There is harmony in a family where all are workers, and where each one contributes to some useful end, and is happy about it.

People who refuse to work, or who gain no joy in it, are out of harmony with all about them and out of harmony with the world. If all hatred was to be abolished from the world, nothing but love could take its place. And love can do a lot! It can understand. It can overlook the defeats of life and make them serve toward a victorious experience. It can win friends, and keep them. It is the only thing that can bring back harmony to a war-torn world.

But love, like everything else, has to be used a great deal, or else it rusts, or just disappears. And the joy and harmony of it also disappears.

I like the harmonious sound of the printing press. The fast falling newspapers speak to me of thousands of homes awaiting them—and all the good use to which they are put when human hands finger them for news, information, and enjoyment. Use is life!

Tomorrow, Mr. Adams will talk on the subject: "The Healing Hours."

## The Almanac

January 21—Sun rises 6:20, sets 6:03.  
Moon rises 6:22 p. m.  
January 22—Sun rises 6:19, sets 6:04.  
Moon rises 7:26 p. m.  
January 23—Full Moon  
January 29—Last Quarter.

## Out Of The Past

From the Files of the  
Star and Sentinel and  
The Gettysburg Times

## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

New Teacher: Miss Margaret Marker, of Warren, recently elected teacher in the commercial course at the Gettysburg high school, will take up her duties on Monday. She succeeds Prof. Sunderland who enlisted in the army several weeks ago.

Miller-Fidler: Miss Estella R. Fidler, of Table Rock, and P. E. Franklin Miller, of New Chester, were married at the bride's home, Thursday, by Rev. David I. Koser.

Mr. and Mrs. Miller will begin housekeeping in New Chester next spring.

Doctor Gets Commission: Dr. J. McCrea Dickson has been commissioned as first lieutenant in the Medical Officers Reserve Corps.

Made Trustee: Robert B. McClean, business manager of the New York Evening Post, has been elected a member of the board of trustees. Mr. McClean's many Gettysburg friends will be glad to learn of his continued advancement.

Goes To Hospital: Miss Lela Hartman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. B. Hartman, North Washington street, has gone to the Philadelphia Orthopaedic hospital where she will receive treatment. She was accompanied by her father who will remain in Philadelphia for some time.

Open Revival: Revival services began on Monday evening in the Fairfield Methodist church under the direction of Rev. W. F. Goodwin, of Orttanna and Miss Nettie Swartz, of New Oxford.

Clerk Elected: Arthur Bream, son of Mr. and Mrs. M. O. Bream, of New Chester, was on Monday elected clerk at the Citizens' Trust company to fill the vacancy occasioned by the resignation of Claire Sowers.

Large Audience Hears War Hero: For an hour Tuesday evening an audience which packed the court room to its doors heard and enjoyed Lieutenant Hector MacQuarrie, Scottish war hero, an officer in the British Artillery, as he brought first-hand information of the great war. C. E. Stahl, Esq., local representative of the War Speakers' Bureau, had given due notice of the meeting and the good attendance here was due to his efforts.

To Install Pastor: Rev. W. S. Bonnell will be installed as pastor of the Zion Lutheran church at Fairfield on Sunday morning, Rev. Frederick G. Gotwald, D. D., of York, president of the West Pennsylvania Synod, will preach the sermon and perform the act of installation. At this service a silver offering will be received for American and Syrian relief.

Gettysburg Man Happy In France: Norton C. Miller on Friday morning received a letter from Horace E. Smiley, Gettysburg's chief of police, who is with a bakery company, in the American Expeditionary Forces. Somewhere in France. The letter, which was written the day after Christmas, thanks the boys for the smokes, and states that he has never felt better in his life.

Local Factories Heed Shut-Down: Gettysburg, Littlestown, McSherrystown and other communities of Adams county responded on Friday morning to the Administrator's order for a general shut-down of all industries over a period of five days. Inconvenience, financial loss, delay in work and all other considerations were cast aside in an effort to line up patriotically to comply with the nation-wide fuel conservation movement.

The industries affected in Gettysburg are the furniture factories, the Auburn shale and brick company, the shirt factories and the steam laundry.

Register Enemy Aliens In Town: Postmaster Duncan in Gettysburg and other postmasters throughout the country have received instructions from United States Marshal James S. Magee, Scranton, stating that all alien German males of the age of fourteen years and upwards are required to register under the provisions of the President's proclamation of November 16, 1917.

It is said that there are very few alien Germans in Gettysburg or anywhere else in the country so that the work of the postmasters will be light.

Personal: Mr. and Mrs. Roy P. Funkhouser, of Baltimore street, announced the birth of a daughter.

Mr. and Mrs. P. R. Hershey, of LaFayette, Ind., announce the birth of a daughter.

Rev. and Mrs. C. W. Baker are spending a few days with relatives in town prior to taking up their new work at Clearfield.

Robert Ford, of West Middle street, has gone to Charlottesville, West Virginia, where he has secured employment.

John D. Reilly has returned to Gettysburg from St. Joseph's hospital, Baltimore, where Mrs. Reilly was taken for treatment.

The following from Camp Meade spent Sunday in town, John Hart-

## Democrats Block Confirmation Of 2 Cabinet Officers

## FOURTEEN ARE APPROVED AND ASSUME POSTS

(By The Associated Press)

Harrisburg, Jan. 20 (AP)—The merry-go-round is under way again in the Pennsylvania Senate with the Democratic minority refusing to permit confirmation of two cabinet members named by Republican Governor Edward Martin.

It doesn't mean a thing so far as official functioning of those involved is concerned. The Democrats just have the whip-hand on confirmations and as in the past are making use of it.

All other cabinet appointees received approval following inauguration of Martin but GOP leaders resorted to tabling of two drawing objections from the Democrats—Highways Secretary John U. Shroyer, Shamokin dress manufacturer, and Relief Secretary Samuel Y. Ramage, III, Oil City hotel and oil man.

This development held up proceedings in the Senate yesterday to the extent that another session had to be arranged for today to permit introduction of bills. The House meanwhile, was in adjournment until 9 p. m. next Monday after a post-inaugural session which brought in eight bills and two resolutions.

Fourteen Take Oath

Fourteen cabinet members receiving confirmation took their oath immediately. They were:

A. H. Stewart, Indiana, Indiana county, Secretary of Health.

C. M. Wilhelm, Harrisburg, Dauphin county, as commissioner of the Pennsylvania Motor Police.

William H. Chesnut, Philadelphia, for appointment as secretary of Labor and Industry.

S. M. R. O'Hara, Kingston, Luzerne county, Secretary of Welfare.

David W. Harris, Philadelphia, Secretary of Revenue.

Floyd Chalfant, Waynesboro, Franklin county, Secretary of Commerce.

Charles H. Morrison, Ivyland, Bucks county, Secretary of the Commonwealth.

James H. Duff, Carnegie, Allegheny county, Attorney General.

Robert M. Vail, Kingston, Luzerne county, Adjutant General.

Gregg L. Neel, Pittsburgh, Allegheny county, Insurance Commissioner.

Acting Secretary

William C. Freeman, Cornwall, Lebanon county, Secretary of Banking.

Miles Horst, Lebanon county, Secretary of Agriculture.

Chester M. Woolworth, Lancaster, Lancaster county, Secretary of Property and Supplies.

James A. Kell, Greensburg, Westmoreland county, Secretary of Forests and Waters.

Reappointment of Richard Maize, of Fayette county, as head of the Mines Department was not submitted to the Senate since Martin gave him the status of "acting secretary." The Governor said, however, that Maize's status as acting secretary doesn't indicate anything.

Three other officials with cabinet rank have been appointed by Governor Martin. George I. Bloom, secretary to the Governor and Dr. Edward B. Logan, budget secretary, are members of the Executive's staff, while Dr. Marts, as director of the state Defense Council, is an official of that council which the Governor heads.

Rep. Frank J. Tiemann (R-Philadelphia) introduced a resolution asking the House to recommend legislation reapportioning legislative districts in Pennsylvania on the basis of the last federal census.

## Lose Gas Cards For Violating Ban

Pittsburgh, Jan. 20 (AP)—Cases of 75 Allegheny county motorists charged with violating the pleasure driving ban will be heard by local rationing boards, Samuel Chertoff, chief prosecutor for the Office of Price Administration, said last night.

Prior to the announcement, Walter R. Cartwright, district OPA manager, had heard seven cases, lifting "A" card stamps from five boards and dismissing two complaints.

Those who lost stamps had been to a party, a concert or a basketball game, or had gone out for a drink or something to eat. One motorist won dismissal when it was learned his brother-in-law, a soldier on leave, was doing the driving.

Chertoff said any motorist convicted at a rationing board hearing has the right of appeal to the district office.

## RAILROAD INCOME

Bethlehem, Pa., Jan. 20 (AP)—Lehigh Valley railroad's 1942 net income was approximately \$6,500,000 or \$5.31 per share of capital stock, compared with \$3,256,470 or \$2.69 in 1941. President R. W. Brown told stockholders at an annual meeting here. Gross income was estimated at \$78,150,000 last year against \$56,700,000 the year before.

man, Walter Martin, Dorsey Sowers, Norman Tate, Henry Garvin.

Mr. and Mrs. Ross L. Patton, who were spending some time in Camp Hill, have returned to Gettysburg.

## Flashes of Life

## NOT IN THE GROOVE

Des Moines, Ia. (AP)—Municipal Judge Don Allen declined to add the term "rug-cutting" in his judicial lexicon.

The judge was asked to rule "rug-cutting" illegal after City Dance Hall Supervisor Sam Miller testified that a defendant arrested at a local night club "kicked his heels so high he endangered the physical welfare of other dancers."

Allen said no legally adequate definition of "rug-cutting" exists, found the defendant guilty of disturbing the peace, then suspended sentence.

## LONG LONG TRAIL

Fall River, Mass. (AP)—A movie fan got in line to buy a ticket.

But when he got near the head of the line he found that it led into a grocery store, one that had butter. He got a half pound.

## CAREER MAN

Los Angeles (AP)—G. C. Sperry got \$50 after his evidence convicted a grocer of violating OPA price ceilings.

"Well, well," mused Mr. Sperry.

Yesterday he testified in three more cases "and I have about 100 others coming up."

"I decided to become the Jesse James of the markets. I'm doing all right for myself and I figure it's a real service to buyers."

## NO THANKS

Denver, Colo. (AP)—Sale of horse meat for human consumption would be made illegal under a bill introduced by State Senator Curtis P. Ritchie of Pueblo.

His battle cry: "Out here we don't eat 'em, we ride 'em!"

## It's Patriotic To Keep Well

## IT'S ALL FREE

By Wilda Camery, R. N.,  
Sunshine, fresh air and exercise, free to all, are three of the most powerful healing forces available to man. Those of us who are city dwellers tend to cheat ourselves of our share, especially in winter.

Restriction of gasoline and tires has introduced many adult workers to the thrill of arriving at work after a walk through the morning sunshine. There's also the joy of exploring nearby parks and wooded country-sides with your family during evenings and Sunday afternoons.

As you exercise, watch your posture—remember the erect straight body gives equal opportunity for all muscles to benefit from exercise. Sit tall, stand tall, walk tall. You know the picture—head held high, hips flat, abdomen in, feet placed firmly and well apart with toes straight ahead. Just standing this way, breathing deep, brushes away cobwebs.

The amount and kind of exercise needed varies with individuals. Find the activity which gives you the most satisfaction and is safe for you and enter into it wholeheartedly.

Plan for some time out of doors every day. Do as many of your routine tasks as possible out of doors and when that is impractical, by an open window.

By the way, the open window provides an excellent means for giving your baby his sunbath even in cold weather. You may safely begin when he is about four weeks old. Open a window both top and bottom, and place the crib so that baby lies in the patch of sunlight that comes through. The room should be heated and all other openings closed against drafts. Begin by permitting the sun to shine on his face, hands and arms for five or ten minutes the first day. Be sure his eyes are turned away from the sun. As he grows accustomed to the sun, baby's legs may be uncovered and on warm days, his shirt removed. Lengthen the time to an hour or two very gradually. Complete instruction concerning sunbathing may be secured by writing to the Children's Bureau, Washington, D. C.

Your baby also needs cod liver oil to supplement the sunshine he gets. Your doctor will tell you how much of this bottled sunshine to give. Many adults whose work limits the amount of sunshine they get also need the extra protection of cod liver oil.

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## NEW GOVERNOR SETTLES DOWN TO HUGE TASK

By RALPH E. WALLIS

Harrisburg, Jan. 20 (AP)—Governor Edward Martin—aided by experience born of 45 years military service—today knuckled down to the serious business of charting a war course for Pennsylvania's ship of state.

The 63-year-old retired Army officer took over command of the state government just as sunbeams parted rain-filled clouds and ended a dreary drizzle that forced inaugural ceremonies indoors.

Although Martin is just starting his four-year term, already legislative machinery has been set in motion to grind out part of his major aims—"coordination of all our efforts to assist in a speedy winning of the war" and "planning for our post-war activities"—as stated in his inaugural address.

## First Tax Slash

The Republican executive was assured full support on after-war planning by the Democratic minority in the general assembly which has added its post-war bill to similar ones introduced by Republicans.

His "No. 1 tax recommendation"—discontinuance of the four-mill personal property levy which is

estimated to bring in \$26,700,000 this biennium—is under legislative consideration.

Bills which the administration says are designed to carry out campaign promises and platform pledges are being drafted by leaders of the Republican-controlled Senate and House.

However, facing Martin is the problem of drawing up the complicated biennial budget recommendations for submission to the legislature late next month.

## To Cut Expenses

These probably will be drawn on the basis of Martin's previous assertions that "there isn't any way to cut taxes except to cut out spending money" and that he is "hoping to be able to cut some expenses."

Martin's speech as he took office succeeding Arthur H. James won the praise of legislators.

Senator Weidon B. Heyburn, of Delaware, Republican floor leader, said "it was a very able and forthright statement of a man who, without a doubt is the best qualified to lead the state in the trying times to come."

A Democratic senator, Edward J. Coleman, of Lackawanna, said the speech "suggests a short business-like session and with that we're in complete agreement."

The term Yankee is believed to stem from the Indians' mispronunciation of the French word for English, "anglais."

The first U. S. yachts were built and sailed in New York harbor early in the 19th century.

## Income Tax

## No. 15

## EARNED INCOME CREDIT

In arriving at the amount of tax due on the taxable income of individuals, a credit, known as "earned income credit" is allowed against income in computing the "normal tax." The amount of earned income credit is entered on line 25 of the return Form 1040, and the computation of the earned income credit is shown in Schedule E of the return form. The manner of computation is set forth in Instruction 25 accompanying the form. The earned income credit is defined by law as 10 per cent of the earned net income, but not in excess of 10 per cent of the net income; but this definition is subject to certain qualifications. There are three major qualifications.

First, if the taxpayer's net income (that is, the amount shown on line 19 of the return) is not greater than \$3,000, then the earned income credit is taken as 10 per cent of the net income; that is, the entire net income is considered as earned net income.

Second, if the taxpayer's net income exceeds \$3,000, then the earned income credit is taken as 10 per cent of the net income or the earned net income, whichever is the smaller, but in any case at least \$300.

Earned net income is defined as the "earned income" less the "earned income deductions." "Earned income" is earnings from employment,

that is, earnings from wages, salaries, professional fees, tips, bonuses, and the like. The "earned income deductions" are the ordinary and necessary expenses incurred in connection with such employment. (The amount of such expenses must be explained by an itemized statement.)

Ordinarily, the earned net income is the amount carried into the return on line 1 of Form 1040. If, however, the taxpayer is in business for himself and is reporting most of his income on Schedule H—Profit (or Loss) from Business or Profession—a maximum of 20 per cent of his share of the net profits of such trade or business may be considered as earned income in arriving at the amount of earned net income.

Third, the maximum earned income credit which any taxpayer may take is \$1,400. This maximum would occur when both the net income and the earned net income were \$14,000 or more.

For persons filing a Simplified Return, it is not necessary to compute the earned income credit, as this has been consolidated into the computation of tax shown in the table on the back of the return form. It is necessary only to refer to this table to arrive at the correct amount of tax due. Any individual whose total income for the year is not in excess of \$3,000 and was wholly from salary, wages, or other compensation for personal service, dividends, interest, or annuities, may use a Simplified Return (Form 1040A.)

## THE SECOND

## ANNIVERSARY of HOMOGENIZED VITAMIN D MILK Produced By ROYALE DAIRY



## To The Milk Consumer:

TODAY marks the second year of our new Dairy Plant and the beginning of producing PURE HOMOGENIZED VITAMIN D MILK for this community. On this second anniversary although we have been in the dairy business for a number of years, our gratitude goes out to the thousands of Homogenized Vitamin D Milk Consumers who have accepted a Superior Quality Product. We accept the challenge of the future with confidence. We aim to continue to serve, to grow and to contribute to our Community our humble share of BETTER HEALTH FOR DEFENSE.

ROYALE DAIRY'S PURE HOMOGENIZED VITAMIN D MILK is the best known food source of calcium and is rich in phosphorus. It's the ideal means of supplying the body needs for calcium . . . a need which from infancy through the years of growth and development and continues through life. Royale Homogenized Vitamin D Milk has had nothing added to or taken away from its original Quality as produced by carefully inspected herds. PURE HOMOGENIZED VITAMIN D MILK is simply pure milk which has had the cream broken down into tiny particles so that you have cream from the top to the bottom of the bottle. This way everyone shares the cream and not just the first to pour from the bottle.

Homogenized Vitamin D Milk has a smooth creamy texture which makes one sit up and take notice. Try it with your cereal in the morning or with your next cup of coffee. A glass between meals for a build up, or a glass of warm Homogenized Vitamin D Milk when you retire for a good night's rest. Our Homogenized Vitamin D Milk is easily digested and if you have not found it possible to drink milk before you can drink it now. Pure Homogenized Vitamin D Milk is ideal for Babies. It is recommended by Doctors, Health Instructors and used by Dieticians in Hospitals.

## OTHER ROYALE DAIRY PRODUCTS

MILK WITH CREAM TOP — COFFEE CREAM — BUTTER — BUTTERMILK  
CHOCOLATE VITAMIN D MILK — COTTAGE CHEESE  
ORANGE DRINK

Start Your Order of Homogenized Milk Today From Our Delivery Man or From the Following Gettysburg and Adams County Dealers:

Acme Market	Johnny Knox's Grocery	Myers' Market	LITTLESTOWN
Earl's Lunch	Mrs. Hutchison, N. Wash. St.	Sheely's Grocery Store	Herring's Meat Market
Sherman's Store	Shaney's Texaco Serv. Sta.	College Book Store	Dodder's Store
East End Gulf Service Station	Battlefield Service Station	Peoples Cash Store	Repper's Store
Evans' Grocery Store	Miller-Sinclair Serv. Sta.	Faber's	Harner's Store
Swisher's Grocery Store	Fred Myers, High Street	F & T Lunch Restaurant	Bob's Pool Room
Gilbert's Grocery Store	Becker's Store	Allen Least Meat Market	EAST BERLIN
Blue Ridge Service Station	Roy's Grocery	Topper's Service Station	Kim's Grocery
			Mummet's Grocery
			Moul's Grocery

## ROYALE DAIRY

209 High Street

Phone 5163

HANOVER, PA.

## CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS

### COST

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PHONES 640-641-642

### FOR SALE GENERAL

FURNITURE AND STOVE BARAINS. Rebuilt ranges, coal and gas combinations, heaters and oil stoves. Dining room suites, \$25.00. Living room suites, \$15.00; beds, \$2.00; rugs, \$2.00; kitchen cabinets, \$10; buffets, \$5.00, and many other bargains. Trade-In Furniture Exchange, 55 W. Clarke, rear York Supply Co., York, Pa.

FOR SALE: QUARTER STEER beef, Lawrence Dentrick, Harrisburg road.

FOR SALE: 2 FRESH GUERNSEY cows, general purpose farm wagon, like new, poultry houses and equipment. L. D. Plank, Round Top.

FOR SALE THREE QUARTERS of beef. Phone 13-R-6 Biglerville.

### FOR RENT

FOR RENT: SECOND FLOOR apartment, three rooms and private bath. Possession February 1st. Apply 248 Chambersburg street.

FOR RENT: BASEMENT ROOM, Kadel building, Center Square, formerly Shaner Electric Service. J. H. Kadel.

FOR RENT: FABER'S STORE, room, 28 Chambersburg street, reasonable rent. Inquire second floor.

FOR RENT: HOUSE, RALPH Blocher, West Conedore avenue.

FOR RENT: SECOND FLOOR Tipton apartment. Phone 971-Y.

### MALE HELP WANTED

MAN WITH LIVESTOCK AND poultry feed sales experience for established route in nearby locality. This is an unusual opportunity for the right man. Write the J. R. Watkins Company, Dept. 1238-20-231, Johnson avenue, Newark, N. J.

WANTED: EXPERIENCED FARMER by year to work on equipped stock and grain farm. Apply letter "681," Times office.

### FEMALE HELP WANTED

WANTED: TWO GIRLS FOR floor work. Also opening for cook. Apply Annie M. Warner hospital.

WANTED: COLORED WOMAN OR girl for light housework and care of children. Phone 190-Z after 5 p. m., 224 Baltimore street.

### WANTED TO BUY

WANTED: CHICKENS, ANY KIND, any time. March's Feed Store, Orlanina. Telephone Fairfield 27-R-5.

WANTED: YOUNG CHICKENS, Paul Weaver, Gettysburg-R. 2. Phone 938-R-21.

WANTED: EAR CORN, OYLER and Spangler.

### TO THE POINT

Each of these ads has a definite offer to make. In a few concise statements it tells its story. There are no side issues or idle words. They tell you what you want to know—and then take no more of your time.

## MARKETS Local Prices

### Gettysburg-Grain-Products

Market prices at Gettysburg for wheat and the Eastern Association, corrected daily, are as follows:

Wheat	—\$1.35
Barley	—75
Corn	—1.10
Rye	—75
Whites	—39½
Browns	—37½

### Baltimore-Live Stock-Poultry

(Prices include Commission)  
Receipts: Light, Market steady. 29-31c.  
ROASTERS: 4-5 lbs., 33-34c.; 5½ lbs., up to 36c.  
FOWL: Medium and heavy, 27-28½c.; small, 24-25½c.  
CAPONS: 8 lbs. and over, 37-38c.; under 8 lbs., 36-37c.  
DUCKS: All weights, 27c.  
GESE: 26-27½c.; Kent Island, heavy, fat, 30c.

### CATTLE-100, Steady; canner and butcher cows, 7-9c.; common to medium, \$9.50-10.50; few heifer type, 11-12½c.; common to medium, 10-11c.; 12-14c.; good bull, 12-15c.; 15-18c.; odd weighty individuals up to \$15.50 and above.

CALVES: 25. Nominally steady; choice, \$17; medium to good, \$15-16.50; cull and common, \$9-13.

HOGS: 50. Steady; practical top, \$15.55; 120-130 pounds, \$14.70-35; 130-140 pounds, \$14.80-15.05; 140-160 pounds, \$15.25-16.00; 160-180 pounds, \$15.30-55; 200-240 pounds, \$15.25-45; 240-260 pounds, \$15.10-35; 260-300 pounds, \$14.90-15.15; good and choice hogs mainly at the outside prices; good sows averaging 270-400 pounds, \$13.75-14.25.

Above prices are based on grain-fed hogs. SHEEP: 25. Nominally steady; practical top and popular price, \$17.25; good and choice, \$18.75-17.75; medium, \$14.25-16.25; cull and common, \$10.25-12.75; slaughter ewes steady; choice, \$8.50; medium to good, \$7.50-8; culls and common \$6.00-6.50.

### Philadelphia-Butter-Eggs

EGGS (wholesale prices)—Market steady. Although movement was by no means brisk, in view of an increased demand and a stronger tone indicated on outside advice, local trading was somewhat stimulated. Supplies continue fully ample on fancy top cleared on lower grades. Prices on commercial grades: Fancy—Large whites, 40-42c.; browns, 40-42½c.; mediums, 40-42c.; Extras—Large, mixed colors, 40-42c.; mediums, 37-38c.; standards, 37-39c.; undergrades, 36-37c. Receipts, 5,184 cases; 1,279 cases truck.

BUTTER (preliminary wholesale prices)—Market continues very firm. Few dealers received light supplies while others reported delayed shipments. Following wholesale sales reported in regular channels; 93

score, 48½c.; 92 score, 47½-48½c.; 92 score in tubs, 48½c. No reported sales of 91 or 90 scores.

### Baltimore-Fruit

APPLES—Mkt. dull. Md., Va. and W. Va. in. 10-12c.; 12-14c.; 14-16c.; 16-18c.; 18-20c.; 20-22c.; 22-24c.; 24-26c.; 26-28c.; 28-30c.; 30-32c.; 32-34c.; 34-36c.; 36-38c.; 38-40c.; 40-42c.; 42-44c.; 44-46c.; 46-48c.; 48-50c.; 50-52c.; 52-54c.; 54-56c.; 56-58c.; 58-60c.; 60-62c.; 62-64c.; 64-66c.; 66-68c.; 68-70c.; 70-72c.; 72-74c.; 74-76c.; 76-78c.; 78-80c.; 80-82c.; 82-84c.; 84-86c.; 86-88c.; 88-90c.; 90-92c.; 92-94c.; 94-96c.; 96-98c.; 98-100c.

PEARS—Mkt. dull. Md., Va. and W. Va. in. 10-12c.; 12-14c.; 14-16c.; 16-18c.; 18-20c.; 20-22c.; 22-24c.; 24-26c.; 26-28c.; 28-30c.; 30-32c.; 32-34c.; 34-36c.; 36-38c.; 38-40c.; 40-42c.; 42-44c.; 44-46c.; 46-48c.; 48-50c.; 50-52c.; 52-54c.; 54-56c.; 56-58c.; 58-60c.; 60-62c.; 62-64c.; 64-66c.; 66-68c.; 68-70c.; 70-72c.; 72-74c.; 74-76c.; 76-78c.; 78-80c.; 80-82c.; 82-84c.; 84-86c.; 86-88c.; 88-90c.; 90-92c.; 92-94c.; 94-96c.; 96-98c.; 98-100c.

ORANGES—Mkt. dull. 10-12c.; 12-14c.; 14-16c.; 16-18c.; 18-20c.; 20-22c.; 22-24c.; 24-26c.; 26-28c.; 28-30c.; 30-32c.; 32-34c.; 34-36c.; 36-38c.; 38-40c.; 40-42c.; 42-44c.; 44-46c.; 46-48c.; 48-50c.; 50-52c.; 52-54c.; 54-56c.; 56-58c.; 58-60c.; 60-62c.; 62-64c.; 64-66c.; 66-68c.; 68-70c.; 70-72c.; 72-74c.; 74-76c.; 76-78c.; 78-80c.; 80-82c.; 82-84c.; 84-86c.; 86-88c.; 88-90c.; 90-92c.; 92-94c.; 94-96c.; 96-98c.; 98-100c.

LEMONS—Mkt. dull. 10-12c.; 12-14c.; 14-16c.; 16-18c.; 18-20c.; 20-22c.; 22-24c.; 24-26c.; 26-28c.; 28-30c.; 30-32c.; 32-34c.; 34-36c.; 36-38c.; 38-40c.; 40-42c.; 42-44c.; 44-46c.; 46-48c.; 48-50c.; 50-52c.; 52-54c.; 54-56c.; 56-58c.; 58-60c.; 60-62c.; 62-64c.; 64-66c.; 66-68c.; 68-70c.; 70-72c.; 72-74c.; 74-76c.; 76-78c.; 78-80c.; 80-82c.; 82-84c.; 84-86c.; 86-88c.; 88-90c.; 90-92c.; 92-94c.; 94-96c.; 96-98c.; 98-100c.

GRAPES—Mkt. dull. 10-12c.; 12-14c.; 14-16c.; 16-18c.; 18-20c.; 20-22c.; 22-24c.; 24-26c.; 26-28c.; 28-30c.; 30-32c.; 32-34c.; 34-36c.; 36-38c.; 38-40c.; 40-42c.; 42-44c.; 44-46c.; 46-48c.; 48-50c.; 50-52c.; 52-54c.; 54-56c.; 56-58c.; 58-60c.; 60-62c.; 62-64c.; 64-66c.; 66-68c.; 68-70c.; 70-72c.; 72-74c.; 74-76c.; 76-78c.; 78-80c.; 80-82c.; 82-84c.; 84-86c.; 86-88c.; 88-90c.; 90-92c.; 92-94c.; 94-96c.; 96-98c.; 98-100c.

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CHERRIES—Mkt. dull. 10-12c.; 12-14c.; 14-16c.; 16-18c.; 18-20c.; 20-22c.; 22-24c.; 24-26c.; 26-28c.; 28-30c.; 30-32c.; 32-34c.; 34-36c.; 36-38c.; 38-40c.; 40-42c.; 42-44c.; 44-46c.; 46-48c.; 48-50c.; 50-52c.; 52-54c.; 54-56c.; 56-58c.; 58-60c.; 60-62c.; 62-64c.; 64-66c.; 66-68c.; 68-70c.; 70-72c.; 72-74c.; 74-76c.; 76-78c.; 78-80c.; 80-82c.; 82-84c.; 84-86c.; 86-88c.; 88-90c.; 90-92c.; 92-94c.; 94-96c.; 96-98c.; 98-100c.

RAISINS—Mkt. dull. 10-12c.; 12-14c.; 14-16c.; 16-18c.; 18-20c.; 20-22c.; 22-24c.; 24-26c.; 26-28c.; 28-30c.; 30-32c.; 32-34c.; 34-36c.; 36-38c.; 38-40c.; 40-42c.; 42-44c.; 44-46c.; 46-48c.; 48-50c.; 50-52c.; 52-54c.; 54-56c.; 56-58c.; 58-60c.; 60-62c.; 62-64c.; 64-66c.; 66-68c.; 68-70c.; 70-72c.; 72-74c.; 74-76c.; 76-78c.; 78-80c.; 80-82c.; 82-84c.; 84-86c.; 86-88c.; 88-90c.; 90-92c.; 92-94c.; 94-96c.; 96-98c.; 98-100c.

## Letters To The Editor

Gentlemen:

I wish to express my appreciation for your kindness throughout my stay at Camp Forrest for your wonderful paper which brought Gettysburg really to me.

I left Gettysburg on the morning of July 15, 1942, for New Cumberland. Two days later I was on my way to Camp Forrest.

I was one of the oldest drafted men to leave Gettysburg. I was born July 10, 1897. Why I am writing you is mainly due to the fact young boys will be soon leaving for camp. I can show them where there is plenty of advancement in the Army.

I graduated on the 21st day of October from the Army school for bakers and cooks as first cook in the Army.

I graduated the 30th day of November in the course of instruction in Mess Management and also passed the requisite examination as mess sergeant.

I just wanted you to know the boys from your city are really doing their part to help win this war.

I am still a private, but I understand my rating will soon be here. However I will notify you as to my rating.

Thanking you again for your kindness.

I am

PVT. LOUIS W. WARNER, Btry. A, 313th F. A. Bn., A. P. O. No. 80, Camp Forrest, Tennessee

Dear Sir:

I want to thank you and the people who work for The Gettysburg Times for putting in the Christmas Greetings to my mother.

I received the notice your office sent out to the members of the armed forces about six days before Christmas and I knew it would be too late for me to return it.

I also want to thank you for sending me the special service men's edition of the paper which I understand is published once a week.

I received it about three or four weeks late but it is very good to receive news from home. In the last paper I received you had two stories about my buddies, James Geiselman and Russel Bumbugh. Both of these men are swell fellows and I hope we all live through this war to come back home to Gettysburg again.

I want to thank you again for sending the papers to me and for putting the Christmas greetings in the paper.

Sincerely

John L. Plattenburg Jr.

## Bulletins

Washington, Jan. 20 (AP)—Manufacturers of materials not vital to the war and other "non-essential" establishments in the east will have to get along on 40 per cent less fuel oil. The cut, ordered Monday by Petroleum Administration Harold L. Ickes and acting Price Administrator John Hamm, is effective until April 1 in the 17 affected eastern states and the District of Columbia. It was expected to ease the oil crisis along the Atlantic seaboard.

Richwood, W. Va., Jan. 20 (AP)—State police and volunteers climbed steep Middle mountain Tuesday to bring back the body of James B. Pierce, Jr., 52, nationally-known chemical engineer and war plant executive who was killed when his airplane crashed last Thursday.

Rochester, N. Y., Jan. 20 (AP)—Jumping from his stalled automobile, E. A. Tenny Monday night watched a westbound express hit and carry the machine 600 feet before bouncing it into a parallel track—in the path of another train which bumped the auto back to the point of original impact.

Pittsburgh, Jan. 20 (AP)—Between sneezing and hiccupping, two Pittsburgh district girls were having a hard time of it Tuesday. As Lucille Maracini, 15, rounded out a week of sneezing at Mercy hospital, Angeline Lucente, 23, spent her sixth day hiccupping at McKeesport hospital.

Harrisburg, Jan. 20 (AP)—John C. Bell, Jr., was sworn into office as lieutenant governor of Pennsylvania Tuesday at ceremonies in the flower-banked Senate chamber. Looking on as the Philadelphia republican took the oath from Chief Justice George W. Maxey were Governor Arthur H. James, Governor-elect Edward Martin and former governor John K. Tener.

Philadelphia, Jan. 20 (AP)—Robert C. Lemmerhart, 40, Reading, Pa., school teacher, is under indictment today on a charge of giving false information to a rationing board in an application for fuel oil rations. The federal grand jury charged that he reported five persons living in his home while actually there were four, himself, his wife, and their two children.

RATION VIOLATION

Philadelphia, Jan. 20 (AP)—Fancy to extra fancy 41½-42½; extras 41; graded firsts 37½; current receipts 37½; mediums 34½; dirties No. 1, 34½-35; average checks 33-33½.

Whites: Fancy to extra fancy 42½-43; specials 42; standards 40½; fancy heavy mediums 38½-39½; mediums 38.

Browns: Fancy to extra fancy 42-42½; specials 41½; standards 39½-40; mediums 38.

New York, Jan. 20 (AP)—Eggs 25,165; firm. Mixed colors: Fancy to extra fancy 41½-42½; extras 41; graded firsts 37½; current receipts 37½; mediums 34½; dirties No. 1, 34½-35; average checks 33-33½.

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## CONGRESS MAY CALL PROBE OF RADIO SYSTEMS

(By The Associated Press)

Washington, Jan. 20—With one eye cocked on the White House for President Roosevelt's expected intervention in the Pennsylvania anthracite strike, Congress moved today toward a full-dress investigation of the Federal Communications Commission, and possibly of the entire radio industry.

Slated for house action was a resolution, unanimously approved by the rules committee, calling for appointment of a five-man committee to inquire into the FCC, its policies, personnel and activities.

"Hot" Probe

Rep. Fish (R-N.Y.) ranking minority member of the rules committee, predicted it would be "one of the hottest" investigations on record.

The author of the resolution, Rep. Cox (D-Ga.) expressed confidence that it would be approved overwhelmingly.

"I want," he said, "to find out if an effort has been made to set up, through a campaign of terrorism, a censorship over all communications in this country and whether some of the people employed by the commission are truly Americans."

The Georgian, long a critic of FCC chairman James L. Fly, declined to predict what course the inquiry would take, but said it would be "no muck-raking investigation."

Balk-Langer Week

In the Senate wing meanwhile Chairman Thomas (D-Okla.) of an appropriations subcommittee handling war department bills called for a slowing up of selective service inductions "until we can take an accounting of the needs."

Asserting he had heard reports of plans to increase the armed forces to a total of 12,000,000 men, Thomas expressed doubt that number could be put in uniform without causing a serious dislocation in all phases of war production, including the growing of food.

On the labor front, both the Democratic and Republican leaders of the Senate indicated they would block immediate consideration of a 48-hour standard work week when Senator Reed (R-Kas.) author of the proposal, attempts to call it up within the next two weeks.

Democratic leader Barkley of Kentucky and Republican leader McNary of Oregon said the measure should be studied by a committee first, a move that Reed seeks to avoid.

Former Haverford Professor Expires

Indianapolis, Jan. 20 (AP)—Don C. Barrett, 76, a retired professor of economics who taught at Haverford college, near Philadelphia, died at his home here yesterday.

A native of Spring Valley, Ohio, and a graduate of Earlham college, Barrett lived in the east most of his life. He came here several years ago.

## PACIFIC PATROL

BY ELEANOR ATTERBURY

Chapter 29

Fangs of a Rattler

Scarcely conscious of the painful return of circulation to her numb foot and ankle, Mary lay quietly for a moment, hardly daring to hope that her noky fall had gone unnoticed by the men in the cabin.

Time seemed to stop and there was only hollow silence around her. Encouraged, Mary sat up slowly, pushed her hair out of her eyes—and saw the booted feet not a yard away! Slowly she raised her eyes to the ugly pistol pointed so that she looked straight into its barrel.

Finally, she gathered courage to meet the cold cruelty in the officer's sarcastic smile.

As if she looked into the menacing fangs of a rattler, Mary sat there, hypnotized until the sound of his guttural voice broke the spell.

"Get up," he commanded, curtly. "Who are you? What are you doing here?"

Mary rose quickly, stood erect, forced herself to meet the man's eyes unflinchingly. "Who are you? And what are you doing here?" She demanded with courage born of some inner strength she didn't know she had.

"Are you alone?" "Yes," she lied instantly and prayed that Standing Bear had slipped out of sight.

"You lie," the officer said flatly and looked over her shoulder.

Instinctively, Mary turned, saw the faithful old Indian in plain sight, his leathery face stolid. He could have gotten away, she realized, but in a misplaced sense of devotion, he'd stayed to guard her.

LAST TIMES TODAY  
"I MARRIED A WITCH"  
and  
"UNITED WE STAND"  
A WARNER BROS. Theatre  
**MAJESTIC**  
Where Friendly Service Awaits You  
War Bonds and Stamps on Sale  
in Our Lobby  
TOMORROW  
**125 REASONS WHY**  
"EYES IN THE NIGHT"  
Matinee or Evening  
ADDED  
All Star Comedy  
"KISS AND WAKE UP"  
Also Cartoon

**EYES IN THE NIGHT**  
EDWARD ARNOLD  
ANN HARDING  
FRIDAY, See the Warner Bros. Picture  
Directed by FRED ZINNEMANN  
Produced by JACK CHAPMAN

**USED CAR SALE**  
1941 Pontiac Deluxe Club Coupe, R. & H. ....\$895  
1941 Chevrolet Special Deluxe Touring Coach, R. & H. ....\$795  
1941 Ford Super Deluxe Touring Sedan, R. & H. ....\$795  
1938 Chevrolet Special DeLuxe Touring Coach ....\$295  
1937 Studebaker "6" Touring Coach ....\$265  
1934 Ford DeLuxe Sedan ....\$ 75  
93 OTHER USED CARS REDUCED  
All Cars Reconditioned and Guaranteed  
"Any Reasonable Terms, as We Finance Our Own Cars"  
**Glenn L. Bream**  
**USED CAR MARKET**  
OLDSMOBILE-CADILLAC SALES & SERVICE  
100 Buford Ave. Mechanical Service Until 9:00 P. M.

**BASKETBALL**  
Friday, January 22nd  
Gettysburg High School  
vs.  
Delone Catholic  
of McSherrystown  
Jayvees vs.  
Delone Jayvees  
7:00 P. M. 8:00 P. M.

**ATTENTION WAR WORKERS**  
Transportation Between Fairfield and  
Waynesboro Now In Operation  
Kenneth Sites of Fairfield, R. D., has been authorized  
by the Pennsylvania Public Service Commission to  
operate a Bus and provide transportation to Waynes-  
boro for Defense Workers for Day Shift to those resid-  
ing in Fairfield, Zora, Fountaindale and Charming. Bus  
Service Begins today, January 18th.  
KENNETH SITES  
Fairfield, R. D.

KEEP ON THE JOB  
WITH **Puretest**  
**PLENAMINS**  
Do you feel listless and run down? No appetite? Then  
you'll be interested in Plenamins, your Rexall Store's vita-  
min-rich capsules. Each Plenamin capsule contains vitamins  
A, B, C, D, E and G, plus healthful liver concentrate and  
iron. All these factors, in addition to a healthy diet, will  
soon have you feeling like a new person, if your diet has  
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**Efforts To Quash Charges Rejected**  
Uniontown, Pa., Jan. 20 (AP)—  
Payette county commissioners failed  
for a third time yesterday in their  
efforts to have quashed the eight-  
month-old charges against them of  
unlawful expenditure of tax money.  
The commissioners have twice  
carried motions to quash to the  
Supreme court.  
The suit, brought by 15 members  
of the bar, questions \$16,000 in fees  
paid former state senator Anthony  
Cavalcante and Attorney W. Brown  
Higbee for their services in com-  
promising the county's \$104,000 in-  
debtedness to the commonwealth.  
Yesterday's quash motion was  
based on a contention that a bond  
filed by the attorneys was defective.  
In overruling the motion, the court  
en banc directed the commissioners  
to file an answer before Feb. 10.  
**WAKE UP YOUR LIVER BILE—**  
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The liver should pour out about 2 pints of  
bile juice into your bowels every day. If this  
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It takes those good, old Carter's Little  
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ing freely to make you feel "up and up."  
Get a package today. Take as directed.  
Effective in making bile flow freely. Ask  
for Carter's Little Liver Pills. 10¢ and 25¢.

**NAZI ADMIT 20 DIVISIONS LOST TO REDS**  
BY FRANK BRUTTO  
Bern, Switzerland, Jan. 20 (AP)—  
The Nazi press in endeavoring to  
explain the German reverses on the  
eastern front is admitting the su-  
periority of Russian resources and  
material.  
The Berlin correspondent of the  
Neue Zuercher Zeitung quoted the  
Voelkischer Beobachter, Adolf Hit-  
ler's newspaper, as telling the Ger-  
mans at home that they "should see  
how difficult it is the fighting on  
the eastern front."  
The Russians, the newspaper said,  
have "more soldiers, more guns  
and more tanks than a year ago."  
"Tragic Outcome"  
Under the heading "The Tragedy  
of Stalingrad," the Basler Nach-  
richten said the show in that sector  
might have a few more scenes but  
it was the last act and "the tragic  
outcome for the Germans could no  
longer be doubted."  
Sketching the battle of Stalingrad,  
the newspaper said the Germans  
now must reckon with the loss of  
more than 20 divisions and with a  
defeat greater than any suffered in  
this war. They will recover from  
this defeat, it said, as their ad-  
versaries have from their defeats  
but it will cost them more.  
The newspaper explained that in  
fighting men as well as materials  
the Allies have greater reserves  
than the Axis nations. Russian  
manpower, it said, is more than  
twice Germany's and therefore the  
loss of 20 divisions by the Germans  
"is twice as serious as it would be  
for the Russians."  
Speed No Factor  
Relazioni Internazionale, Italian  
weekly, told Italians that the war  
of rapid movement had ended and  
now entered a new phase in which  
the element of time "ceased to be  
a factor unfavorable to the tripartite  
powers (Germany, Italy and  
Japan)."  
"Lightning war," it said "has  
been replaced by a war which will  
be tenaciously fought meter by  
meter and working hour by work-  
ing hour on both the military and  
home fronts."

**East Berlin**  
East Berlin—The Ladies' Auxiliary  
of the Liberty fire company met  
during the past week and elected  
the following officers for the coming  
year: President, Mrs. Oram Altland;  
vice president, Mrs. Carl Pitkeer;  
secretary, Miss M. Grace Stam-  
baugh; assistant secretary, Miss  
Julia G. Glatfelter, and treasurer,  
Mrs. Paul E. Jacobs.  
Private Warren Rumsey, Brooks  
Field, Texas, has been spending a  
short furlough at the home of his  
parents, Mr. and Mrs. I. C. Rum-  
sey, of near East Berlin.  
The wedding reception planned  
for this month by the Young Peo-  
ple's Department of the Red Run  
Sunday School for Mr. and Mrs.  
Lloyd Grove, has been postponed  
indefinitely due to the ban on pleas-  
ure driving by the OPA.  
Wesley Wolf submitted to an op-  
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Mr. and Mrs. Addison Baker, who  
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lin section for some time, are now  
living near Hanover.  
Mr. and Mrs. Melvin Boyer of  
near East Berlin recently observed  
the thirtieth anniversary of their  
marriage. Mrs. Boyer is the former  
Miss Emma Brown, of East Berlin,  
daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Charles  
Brown. The couple have four sons,  
Harold, Ira, William, and Roy, the  
elder two of whom are married.  
They also have four grandchildren.  
The sixteenth birthday of Miss  
Helen Mummert, daughter of Mr.  
and Mrs. Nevin Mummert, of near  
East Berlin, was observed at her  
home Friday.  
Mr. and Mrs. Firmin Myers, West  
King street, entertained friends and  
relatives at their home during the  
week when dinner was served in ob-  
servance of their forty-ninth wed-  
ding anniversary. Their guests  
were: The Rev. and Mrs. Richard  
E. Shaffer, Mr. and Mrs. George  
Criswell, and Mr. and Mrs. Den-  
ton Myers, all of East Berlin. Before  
her marriage Mrs. Myers was Miss  
Emma Criswell, of East Berlin.  
The meeting of the Young Peo-  
ple's Department of the Red Run  
Sunday School which was to be held  
during the week at the home of  
Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Strayer was can-  
celled because of the recent trans-  
portation ban.  
Miss Velma Chronister of near  
Dillsburg, was a recent visitor at  
the home of her parents, Mr. and  
Mrs. Melvin Chronister of York  
street.  
Mrs. Paul E. Jacobs, who has  
taught for several months at the  
Davidsburg school York county, has  
resigned her position.  
These women of this section have  
been chosen to serve for the com-  
ing year as officers of the Women's  
Missionary Society of the Red Run  
Church, near East Berlin: President,  
Mrs. J. Clermont Smith, vice presi-

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**New Oxford**  
New Oxford—The Theodore Pfeif-  
er Camp No. 60, Son of Union  
Veterans, conducted a meeting  
Thursday at their armory here at  
which time they installed officers  
for the coming year.  
Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Bowser have  
moved to Hanover. The property  
which they vacated has been ten-  
anted by Mr. and Mrs. Maurice  
Herman.  
Walter Miller, Pleasant street, has  
been a medical patient this week  
at the Hanover General hospital.  
Roy Eicholtz has moved from  
Aspers to New Oxford where he  
will make his home in the property  
on Lincolnway west, owned by Esten  
C. Carper, of Virginia.  
Mrs. Curtis Smith was hostess  
Tuesday evening when the local  
Ladies' 500 club held its regular  
meeting at her Carlisle street home.  
Mrs. Horace Sheffer, Hanover, has  
been serving as substitute teacher  
at the Red Hill school in this sec-  
tion during the illness of Mrs. Mer-  
rill Yohe of Lincoln Heights.  
The Geiselman property on West  
High street has been occupied by  
Mr. and Mrs. William Rineman, Jr.  
Mr. and Mrs. William D. Himes,  
Sr., of Lincolnway west have re-  
ceived word from Randolph Field,  
Texas, that their son, William D.  
Himes, Jr., who is an instructor  
there, has been promoted from sec-  
ond to first lieutenant.  
The council of the First Lutheran  
church met at the church Thursday  
evening.  
The house on Berlin street, which  
was the home of Mr. and Mrs.  
Luther Orndorff, now residents of  
Littletown, has been occupied by  
William Weikert and his family, who  
moved here from the Abbottstown  
section.  
Mrs. Earl Strassbaugh, of York,  
was a visitor here during the past  
week with her sister, Miss Mabel  
Staub of West High street.  
William H. Snyder, Jr., proprietor  
of the Earl Theatre here, reports  
that sales of U. S. War Stamps and  
Bonds at the theatre lobby have  
amounted to \$1,331 from the time  
sales were instituted there until the  
end of December.  
Mrs. Paul Desch, of this place,  
has been spending some time at her  
sister's home in Harrisburg.  
Mrs. Rebecca Bower, Berlin ave-  
nue, quietly observed the eighty-  
sixth anniversary of her birth on  
Saturday at her home.  
Henry and James, sons of Mr.  
and Mrs. Harry C. Stock, are recup-  
erating at their Carlisle street home  
after submitting to tonsilectomies  
at the Hanover General hospital.  
Mrs. E. C. Livingston was hostess  
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Telephone company held at the  
home of Mr. and Mrs. Chester  
Jacobs on Wednesday evening:  
Chester Jacobs, President; Glen  
Whisler vice president; Ray Koh-  
ler, treasurer, and Harry Welkert,  
secretary.  
The weekly meeting of the Gul-  
dens Knitting club will be held at  
the home of Mrs. John Starnier  
this evening.  
Mrs. Ira Herman has received  
word that her nephew, Pvt. Harold  
Rummel, is stationed at Langley  
Field, Virginia, where he is attached  
to the 19th Anti-Submarine Sqd.

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because most plants are now—and have been  
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